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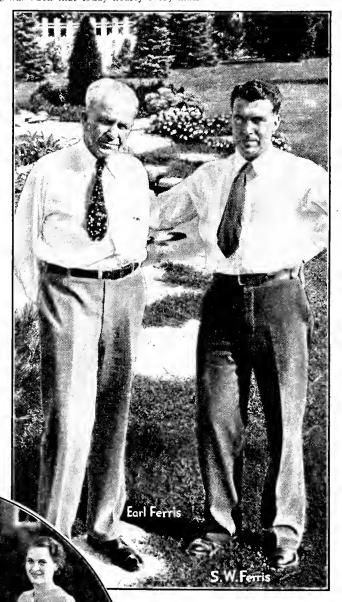
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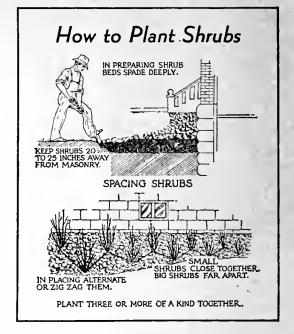
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#### TO HELP YOU IN CHOOSING SHRUBS FOR YOUR HOME

(More Complete Descriptions, with prices, on pages 10 to 13 inclusive)

| Variety                            | Matured<br>Height | Time<br>of<br>Bloom | Color               | General Remarks  | Variety                               | Matured<br>Height | Time<br>of<br>Bloom   | Color                                   | General Remarks   |
|------------------------------------|-------------------|---------------------|---------------------|--|---------------------------------------|-------------------|-----------------------|---|---|
| ALMOND, Flowering ALTHEA (Rose-of- | 4-6'              | AprMay              | Pink or<br>White    | Give sheltered place.<br>Blooms very early.                | LILACS, French                        | 5-8'              | May-June              | Many                                    | Extra large flowers,<br>very fragrant,<br>blooming very       |
| Sharon)                            | 3-5′              | AugSept.<br>May     | Many<br>Yellow      | Excellent late bloom-<br>er.<br>Hardiest hedge or          | OLIVE, Russian                        | .10-30°           | May-June              | Yellow                                  | young. Ideal specimen or accent tree—silvery                  |
|                                    |                   |                     |                     | border plant—<br>thorns, red berries<br>—sun or shade.     | PEARL BUSH                            | 8-10'             | May                   | White                                   | foliage.  Fine backgraund plant.                              |
| BARBERRY, Red-Leaf<br>BEAUTY BUSH  | 2-3'<br>4-6'      | May<br>May-June     | Yellow<br>Pink      | Plant in full sunlight. Splendid as specimen               | QUINCE, Jap. Flowering                | 3-5′              | AprMay                | Scarlet                                 | Brilliant early bloom-<br>er.                                 |
| BUTTERFLY BUSH                     |                   | ·                   |                     | or in foundation groups.                                   | ROSA RUGOSA                           | 4-8'              | May-Sept.             | Many                                    | Hardy shrub-rase,<br>combines well with<br>shrubs—sun or par- |
| (Magnifica)                        | 3-5'<br>3-4'      | July-Sept. AugSept. | Lilac<br>Purple     | Handsome border plant.  Brilliant new variety.             | SNOWBERRY, White                      | 3-4'              | June-July             | Pink                                    | tial shade.  Waxen white berries                              |
| DEUTZIA, Dwarf DEUTZIA, Pride of   | 1-2'              | May-June            | White               | Lovely dwarf shrub.  | SNOWBERRY, Red                        | 2-4'              | June-July             | Pink                                    | —fine for shade. Clustered red berries                        |
| Rochester                          | 4-6′              | May                 | White               | Adapted to sun or partial shade.                           | SNOWBALL, Common                      | 6-8′              | May                   | White                                   | sun or shade. Numerous ball-shaped                            |
| DEUTZIA, Crenata DOGWOOD, Red-     | 3-5'              | May                 | Pink                | Adapted to sun or partial shade.                           | SNOWBALL, Japanese .                  | 6-8′              | June                  | White                                   | blooms—sun or<br>shade.<br>Fine ornamental for                |
| Branched                           | 5-8′              | AprMay              | White               | Tangled branches<br>bright red, fine<br>winter effect, sun | SPIRAEA ANTHONY                       |                   | Julie                 | vviiite                                 | foundation or gar-<br>den groups.                             |
| DOGWOOD, Yellow-<br>Branched       | 5- <b>7</b> ′     | AprMay              | White               | or shade.<br>Golden yellow twigs                           | WATERER                               | 2-3'              | July-Aug.             | Crimson                                 | Finest dwarf shrub.   |
| DOGWOOD, Variegated                | 4-6'              | May-June            | White               | —sun or shade.<br>Green and white fo-                      | ROSEA                                 | 4-5'              | July-Aug.             | Pink                                    | Popular foundation shrub; good for dry hillsides.             |
| ELDER, Golden                      | 6-10'             | July                | White               | liage, excellent<br>contrast.<br>Give full sunlight,       | SPIRAEA RICHMENSIS .                  | 4-5′              | July-Aug.             | Vivid<br>Pink                           | Splendid for the bor-<br>der or landscape                     |
| FORSYTHIA (Golden                  |                   |                     |                     | fine contrast with other shrubs.                           | SPIRAEA SORBIFOLIA                    | 4-6'              | June-July             | White                                   | groups.  Beautiful fernlike fo- liage—sun ar                  |
| Bell)                              | 6-8'              | AprMay              | Yellow              | Earliest to bloom—<br>sun or partial<br>shade.             | SPIRAEA THUNBERGI                     | 3-4'              | AprMay                | White                                   | shade.<br>Dainty shrub, splen-                                |
| HIGH BUSH CRANBERRY HONEYSUCKLE,   | 6-8°              | May-June            | White               | Showy red berries—<br>sun or shade.                        | SPIRAEA VAN HOUTTEI                   | 1.61              |                       |   | did in foundation setting.                                    |
| Tartarian                          | 8-12'             | May-June            | Red, Pink,<br>White | sun or partial   | SPIRALA VAN HOUTTET                   | 4-6'              | May-June              | White                                   | "Bridal Wreath"—<br>most popular af all<br>shrubs.            |
| HONEYSUCKLE, Japan .               | 4-6′              | May-June            | White               | shade. Spreading growth, red berries—sun or                | SUMAC, Staghorn                       | 12-15′            |                       |   | Luxuriant foliage for backgrounds and fillers.                |
| HYDRANGEA,<br>Arborescens          | 3-5'              | June-Aug.           | White               | shade. Showy plant, fine in foundation plant-              | SYRINGA, Mock Orange                  | 6-10'             | May-June              |   | Fragrant waxen flow-<br>ers; sun or shade.                    |
|                                    |                   |                     |                     | ing—good for north<br>side.                                | SYRINGA, Lemoine<br>SYRINGA, Virginal | 4-5'<br>6-8'      | May-June<br>June-Aug. | White<br>White                          | Semi-dwarf Syringa.<br>Extra large flowers,                   |
| HYDRANGEA P. G                     | 3-5'              | AugOct.             | White               | Sun or partial shade —handsome white blooms turning to     | TAMARIX PENTANDRA.                    | 7-10'             | June-Aug.             | Pink                                    | often double—sun<br>or shade.<br>Feathery foliage;            |
| TREE HYDRANGEA P. G                | 5-6′              | AugOct.             | White               | Elegant specimen   | VIBURNUM, Double-File                 | 8'                | June                  | White                                   | withstands wet or dry conditions.                             |
| KERRIA, White                      | 4-5′              | May-June            | White               | plant.<br>Ornamental leaves,<br>flowers, fruit—fine        | ·                                     |                   | June                  | *************************************** | Excellent foliage,<br>flowers and fruits.<br>Sun or shade.    |
| LILACS, Common                     | 8-12'             | May                 | Purple              | for shade.<br>Fine for hedges or                           | VIBURNUM, Mayflower                   | 4-5*              | May-June              | Pink                                    | Charming, fragrant<br>blooms. Fine in<br>shade.               |
| LILACS, Rothomagensis.             | 8-10'             | May                 | Red-                | massing—sun or<br>partial shade.<br>Very free bloomer—     | WEIGELA ROSEA                         | 6-8′              | May-June              | Rose-Pink                               | Grand landscape plant.  |
|                                    |                   | ,,,,,,              | Purple              | sun or shade.  | WEIGELA EVA RATHKE.                   | 3-4'              | AllSummer             | Red                                     | Splendid for group or border planting.                        |



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Mayflower Viburnum.

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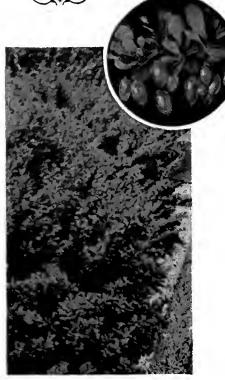
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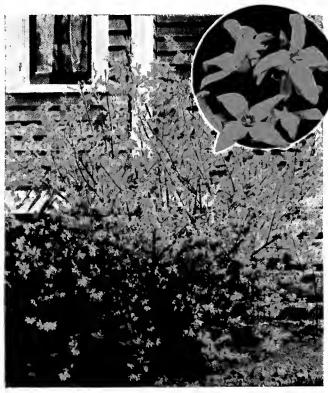




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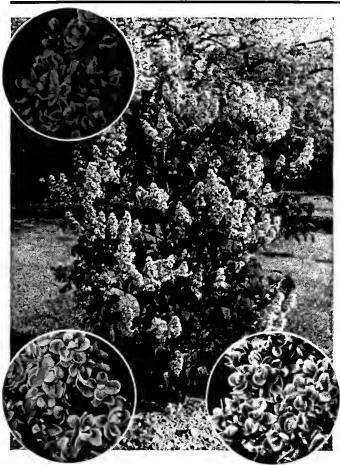


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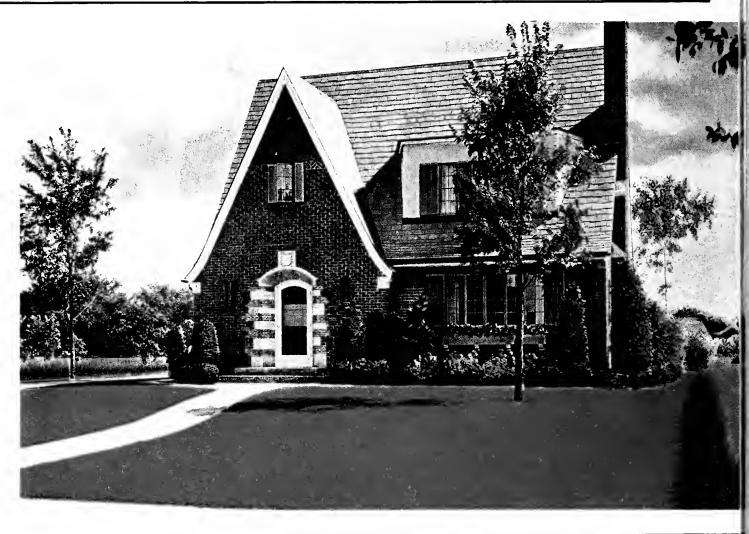
Most popular of all shrubs. See page 1. for .xtra low



# Landscaping that adds to the joy of

Adaptable
to the
average
home with
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changes
in
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Color and beauty the year around.



### Good plantings do wonderful things to a house-whether it's

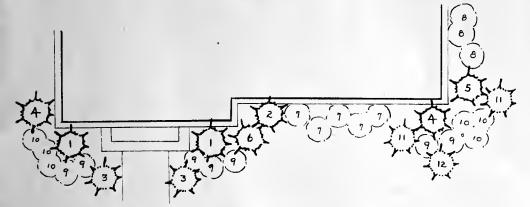


Whether
your house
is of marble
or wood
or adobe

the magic touch of good landscaping will make it a better HOME.

# Living and the value of property





### Landscape Plan No. I

| (1)  | 2 | Chinese Calumn Juniper (Green)      |     |     |                  |        |
|------|---|-------------------------------------|-----|-----|------------------|--------|
|      |   | Spec., 3-4 ft\$5.0                  | 0   |     | ft., B&B         | \$6.50 |
| (2)  | 1 | Blue Cedar Spec., 3-4 ft 2.5        | 0   | 4-5 | ft., B&B         | 3.75   |
| (3)  | 2 | Glabe Juniper Spec., 12x16 in. 3.5  | 0 1 |     | in., B&B         | 5.50   |
| (4)  |   | Calumn Red Cedar Spec., 3-4 ft. 5.0 | 0   | 5-6 | ft., B&B         | 8.00   |
| (5)  | 1 | Silver Cedar Spec., 2-3 ft 2.0      | 0   |     | ft., B&B         | 3.50   |
| (6)  | 1 | Cannart Red Cedar Spec., 3-4        |     |     | ,                |        |
|      |   | ft 3.0                              | 0   | 4-5 | ft., B&B         | 4.50   |
| (7)  | 5 | Weigela Eva Rathke, 12-18 in9       | 0   |     | 8-24 in.         | 1.25   |
| (9)  |   | Red Leaf Barberry, 12-18 in 1.5     | 4   | 1   | 8-24 in.         | 2.31   |
| (8)  |   | Hydrangea P. G., 18-24 in 9         | 0   |     | 2-3 ft.          | 1.35   |
| (10) |   | Spirea Anthany Waterer, 8-12        |     |     |                  |        |
|      |   | in                                  | 4   |     | 1-2 ft.          | 1.32   |
| (11) | 2 | Koster's Juniper Spec., 2x3 ft 3.0  | 0   |     | ft., B&B         | 5.00   |
| (12) |   | Andarra Juniper Spec., 2x2½ ft. 2.5 | 0 2 |     | ft., B&B         | 3.50   |
|      |   | Totals \$20.6                       | -   |     | -                | 46.48  |
|      |   | Tatals\$30.6                        |     |     |                  | 970,70 |
| **** |   | UR SPECIAL \$97.00                  | 0   | •   | 51.0             | .00    |
|      |   | IMPROVEMENT" \$27.00                |     |     | <sup>\$</sup> 4C |        |
|      |   | PRICES                              |     |     |                  |        |

MOMES like this invite you to be welcome. The planting gives an atmosphere of hospitality and good cheer to all who pass or call at your door. You will be proud to live in such a pleasant home with such a pleasing planting for a setting.

#### NOTE OUR INDIVIDUAL LANDSCAPE SERVICE ON PAGE 62

The plantings shown here will suit many types of homes, and with a little shifting of plants here and there will fit almost any dimensions. However, if these do not fill your need but you prefer a plan made to fit your home grounds and situation exactly, turn to page 62 of this catalog where you will find full explanation of our special Landscape Service, which has been a boon to planters everywhere.

### modern or old. Your investment increases yearly in value

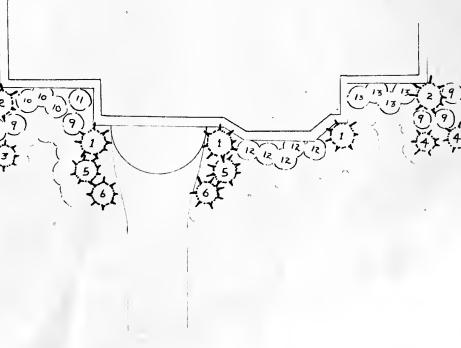
VARIETY of color and form gives this planting brilliance and unusual attractiveness. Thirty or forty dollars worth of plants have made an amazingly beautiful landscape.

Landscape Plan No. 2

| (1)               | 3   | Pyromid Juniper Spec., 2-3 ft\$6.75    |    |  |  |  |  |
|-------------------|-----|--|----|--|--|--|--|
| (2)               | 2   | Grafted Silver Cedor Spec., 3-31/2     |    |  |  |  |  |
|                   |     | ft 6.40                                | 31 |  |  |  |  |
| (3)               | 3   | Andorra Juniper Spec., 2x21/2 ft 6.75  | 21 |  |  |  |  |
| (4)               | 3   | Tomorix Juniper Spec., 18x24 in 4.50   | 2x |  |  |  |  |
| (5)               | 2   | Sovin Juniper Spec., 18x24 in 1.70     |    |  |  |  |  |
| (6)               | 2   | Dwarf Mugho Pine Spec., 12x18 in. 2.20 | 18 |  |  |  |  |
| (7)               | 3   | Beouty Bush, 18-24 in 1.05             |    |  |  |  |  |
| (8)               | 3   | Hydrongea Arborescens, 18-24 in97      |    |  |  |  |  |
| (9)               | 8   | Red Leaf Barberry, 12-18 in 1.76       |    |  |  |  |  |
| (10)              | 3   | Forsythia, 2-3 ft                      |    |  |  |  |  |
| (11)              | 1   | Marc Micheli Liloc, 18-24 in35         |    |  |  |  |  |
| (12)              | 5   | Spireo Billiardi Rosea, 18-24 in70     |    |  |  |  |  |
| 1131              | 4   | Spireo Von Houttei, 18-24 in90         |    |  |  |  |  |
|                   | _   | \$24.78                                |    |  |  |  |  |
|                   | 1 0 | otols\$34.78                           |    |  |  |  |  |
| OUR SPECIAL SALOO |     |  |    |  |  |  |  |
| "HO               | M   | OUR SPECIAL \$31.00                    |    |  |  |  |  |
|                   |     | DATES                                  |    |  |  |  |  |

| 3-4    | ft. Spec., B&B  | \$9.60   |
|--------|---|--|
| 2x21/2 | ft. Spec., B&B<br>ft. Spec., B&B<br>ft. Spec., B&B<br>ft. Spec., B&B<br>in. Spec., B&B<br>in. Spec., B&B<br>2-3 ft.<br>2-2½ ft.<br>18-24 in.<br>3-4 ft.<br>2-3 ft.<br>2-3 ft. | 9.60<br>6.90<br>4.00<br>4.20<br>1.50<br>1.20<br>2.64<br>1.12 |
|        | 2-3 ft., heavy  | 1.30   |
|        |   | \$52.51  |
|        |   |  |

\$46.00



WINTER and summer color will keep this planting beautiful the year around. This planting is adaptable to almost any moderate sized home with very little re-arrangement.



### Ferris' Selected FLOWERING

ALTHEA, ROSE OF SHARON. Brilliant roselike flowers in great abundance during late summer and fall when other blooms are rather scarce; handsome foliage. Splendid plants for hedges or as specimens. Severe pruning in March induces more profuse blooms; needs winter protection in cold climates. 5-10 ft. at maturity. Choice of Red, Pink, Purple or White. Each 2 5 1-yeor, 1 ft. overoge ...\$0.25 \$0.40 \$0.85

FLOWERING ALMOND (Prunus giandulosa).
The glory of early spring when it is a mass of beautiful double blooms. 4.6 ft. at maturity.
Choice of Pink or White. Each 2 5
2 ft. overage . . . . \$0.40 \$0.70 \$1.40



JAPANESE BARBERRY (Berberis Thunbergi). Always popular and pleasing, this round, bushy, graceful shrub, loaded with thorns, and hardy everywhere. Bright green in summer turning to rich red in the fall, followed by scarlet berries that hang on until spring. Ideal for foundation groups or hedges. Guaranteed free from rust, and can be planted anywhere.

12-18 in. transplants...\$0.20 \$1.50 \$2.50 \$ 6.00 18-24 in. select, heavy. .30 2.50 4.00 12.00

RED-LEAF BARBERRY (Berberis Thunbergi atropurpurea). One of the most striking of all shrubs,
with its lustrous, bronze-red foliage. Plant it in full
sunlight. Used most effectively in the foreground of
shrubs or evergreens; also fine for hedges. Red berries from fall until spring. 2-3 ft. at maturity.

Each 10 25

Each 10 25 3-year, 12-18 in. average . . . \$0.25 \$2.20 \$5.00 4-year, 18-24 in. average . . . . 35 3.30 7.50

BEAUTY BUSH (Kolkwitzia amabilis). A lovely, graceful shrub that should be in every home planting. During May and June the drooping branches are covered with bell-shaped flowers of bright pink. 4.6 ft. at maturity.

BUTTERFLY BUSH (Buddleia magnifica). A delightful addition to the summertime garden, its arching branches handsomely tipped with light purple blooms of fine fragrance. Use in the border or perennial bed, pruning the tops back severely each season. 3-5 ft, at maturity.

DWARF DEUTZIA (Gracilis). Dainty, low-growing, bushy shrub, covered in May and early June with charming white flowers. Excellent for the low foundation, for edging, or for clumps at the entrance walk.

or for clumps at the entrance walk.

1-2 ft. at maturity.

Each 2 5

2-yeor, 12-15

in. overage. \$0.30 \$0.50 \$1.00

DEUTZIA, PRIDE OF ROCHESTER. In May this graceful, refined plant has large, double, white blooms. A favorite in foundation groups. 4.6 favorite in 1001. ft. at maturity.

18-**24** in. transplants. \$0.35 \$0.60 \$1.20.

BUTTERFLY **BUSH** fragrant purple spikes attract bees and butterflies

> JAPANESE BARBERRY

DEUTZIA CRENATA. Beautiful, double pink flowers thickly stud the graceful, upright branches in May. 3-5 ft. at maturity.

**VARIEGATED** DOGWOOD delightful for contrast

**BEAUTY BUSH** 

arching branches

of pink bloom

DWARF DEUTZIA dainty, low edger

RED-BRANCHED DOGWOOD (Cornus sibirica). Showy, blood-red branches add cheeriness to the wintertime landscape, while summertime brings an artistic growth of bright green foliage, yellowish white flowers and pearly fruit. Does well in sun or shade. 5-8 ft. at maturity.

Each 

YELLOW-BRANCHED DOGWOOD (Cornus stolonifera lutea). Golden yellow branches; white flowers. 5-7 ft. at ma-

Each 2-3 ft. transplants ......\$0.30 \$0.55 \$1.10

VARIEGATED DOGWOOD (Cornus elegantissima). For a delightful contrast effect in your shrubbery border, use 3 or 4 plants of this fine Dogwood. Very distinctive, bright green foliage with creamy white edge. 4-6 ft. at maturity.

Each 2-3 ft. select ......\$0.50 \$0.90 \$2.00

GOLDEN ELDER (Sambucus aurea). The golden beauty of its foliage contrasts richly with the green of other shrubs; large, flat blooms soften the luster, and are followed by purplish berries. 6-10 ft. high at maturity, but easily trimmed to any desired height. Plant in full sunlight.

|                     | Each    | 2      | 5      |
|---------------------|---------|--------|--------|
| 18-24 in            | .\$0.25 | \$0.40 | \$0.90 |
| 2-3 ft. transplants |         |        |        |
| 3-4 ft. heavy       | 45      | .80    | 1.75   |

**DEUTZIA CRENATA** thick with double pink flowers in May

# SHRUBS - Exquisite Beauty

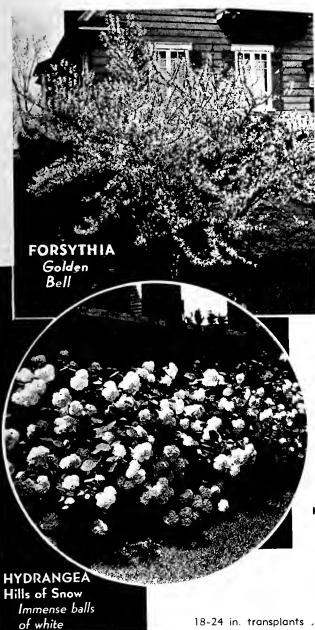


white bloom

**HONEYSUCKLE** myriads of fragrant

**BUSH** 

Golden foliage - excellent for contrast - white bloom



FORSYTHIA (Golden Bell). The first shrub to bloom

PINK TARTARIAN HONEYSUCKLE (Lonicera tatarica raseo). Probably the finest tall growing shruh, splendid for screening unsightly views or for hackgrounds, while a single specimen on the lawn develops a shapely bush. In May and June it is covered with delicate pink flowers followed by a wealth of orange and red herries; bright green, luxuriant foliage Hardy everywhere, growing in sunlight or shade. 8-12 ft. at maturity, but can be kept trimmed hack to any height desired.

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WHITE TARTARIAN HONEYSUCKLE (Lanicera totarica alba). Like the pink variety, except that the blooms are pure white. It, too, has the bright red herries in the summer.

RED TARTARIAN HONEYSUCKLE (Lanicera tatarico rubra). Blooms of this delightful plant are rose-crimson. Habits of growth the same as

remarkably fine plant, with wide branches thickly laden with creamy white flowers in May and June, followed by bright crimson berries. 4.6 ft. at maturity.

HYDRANGEA P. G. (Hydrangea poniculata grandiflaro).

A magnificent shruh that well deserves its wide spread popularity. Very large, globe shaped flowers of white turn to pink and bronze, and last for months. Very hardy, liking best a moist, semi-sunny location, 3.5 ft. at maturity.

in the spring—and what a bright spot it makes on the landscape! Great masses of rich golden yellow flowers envelop the bush before the leaves appear. Add a group of three or four of our Forsythia to your home planting and liven up the whole place. 6-8 ft. at maturity.

APAN HONEYSUCKLE (Lanicera Marrawi), A

Each 2 5 12-18 in. \$0.25 \$0.40 \$0.80

HYDRANGEA ARBORESCENS
(Hills of Snow). The showy, summer blooming Hydrangea, with immense, rounded flowers of pure white from June to August, set off by large, heart-shaped, light green leaves. Does well in the shade, and is ideal for foundation planting. 3-5 ft. at maturity.

Each 2 5 18-24 in. transplants .......\$0.35 \$0.65 \$1.30

Each 3-4 ft. select specimens ......\$1.10

white Kerria (Rhadatypos kerrioldes). A fine shrub for the shady spots around the home, and beautiful as well. The foliage is unusually attractive, sharp notches and deep veins giving it a somewhat plaited effect. Showy white flowers in May and June are followed by jet black fruits that last all winter.

### Lilacs — Old and New

Whot Would Springtime be Without the Beauty ond Frogrance of Our Lilacs.

OLD-FASHIONED LILAC (Vulgarls). The old-time favorite, and because of their hardy, dependable nature and exquisite flowers, they will always be popular. 8-12 ft at maturity.

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LILACS-Continued. L1LAC, ROTHOMAGENSIS (Impraved Persian).

A beautiful hybrid, with splendid arching branches, and a great abundance of reddish purple flowers in hroad clusters. 8-10 ft. at maturity.

Each 2 5
18-24 in. transplants ...\$0.30 \$0.50 \$1.00







SPIREA

delicate

sprays of

flowers

# Flowering Shrubs permanent

#### Our Elegant French Lilacs

New, beautiful hybrids that are worth their weight in gold —Lilacs that usually bloom the first year after planting, their blooms of an extraordinarily large size, full, often double, and so colorful and fragrant. Order early, using them either as specimens or in a border or hedge. 5.8 ft. at maturity.

BELLE DE NANCY. Large, double flowers of a lovely pinkish

.....\$0.50 \$0.90 \$1.90 LA TOUR D'AUVERGNE. Deep, rich purple, double and

Each 2 5 MADAME LEMOINE. Beautiful, immense clusters of snow-white. Double.

Each 2 5
2-3 ft. ......\$0.50 \$0.90 \$1.90 MADAME CASIMIR PERIER. An outstanding white, ADAME CASIMIR PENIER. 1... with double, very large blooms.

2-3 ft. .....\$0.45 \$0.80 \$1.75 MARC MICHELI. Fine double, lavender-blue.

Each 2 5 .....\$0.45 \$0.80 \$1.75 MICHEL BUCHNER. Exquisite pink-lilac buds merge

MARIE LEGRAYE. Superb creamy white blooms of enormous size.

4 ft. average ... \$0.65 \$1.20 \$2.40

PRESIDENT GREVY. Immense, double flowers of lilaceblue. Choice.

Each 2

4 ft. average ... \$0.65 \$1.20 \$2.40

SOUV. DE LUDWIG SPAETH. Long, finely formed flowers of dark reddish purple. One

Each 2 5 3-4 ft. .....\$0.65 \$1.20 \$2.40 WILLIAM ROBINSON. Handsome double sort, giving a striking pinkish red effect.

Each 2

2-3 ft. ......\$0.60 \$1.10 \$2.25

CHAS. JOLY. Striking, dark purple red; the finest of all double red Lilacs.

Each 2 5 2-3 ft. .....\$0.60 \$1.10 \$2.25



11 Ferris' French Lilacs—One each of the beautiful varieties described and priced above, 2-3 ft. average—

OUR BARGAIN PRICE

\$4.25

PEARL BUSH (Exochorda grandiflora). In early spring their dainty, pearl-like buds open into fragrant, pure white, waxen flowers; small, light green foliage. A handsome bush for background or specimen planting. 8-10 ft. at maturity.

Each 2 5 2 ft. average ......\$0.30 \$0.50 \$1.00

JAPANESE FLOWERING QUINCE (Cydonla japonica). Called the "Firebush," for in May it is fairly ablaze with clusters of searlet flowers; glossy foliage. In combination with Forsythia or early bloomers of that sort, its beauty is enhanced, while a background of evergreens will bring out its full charm. 3-5 ft. are naturity. ft. at maturity.

ROSA RUGOSA. The shrubby Rose that is so fine in combination with shrubs, giving color to the planting at the off-season. See varieties, descriptions and prices on page 57. 4-6 ft. at maturity.

WHITE SNOWBERRY (Symphoricorpos racemosus). Even in the shade, this pretty shrub will produce the long clusters of milk white fruits that follow the rose-pink flowers. 3.4 ft. at maturity.

Each 2 5

2-year, 12-18 in. average .......\$0.25 \$0.40 \$0.80

garis). A delightful companion plant for the White Snowberry, with its thick, fine foliage, compact form, and elusters of red fruits along the stems. 2.4 ft, at maturity.

Each 2 5

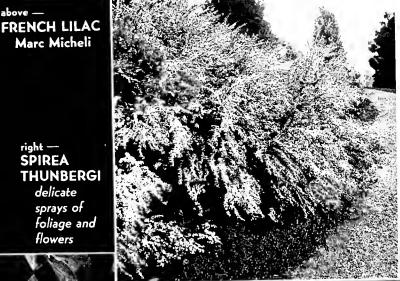
2-year, 12-18 in. average .......\$0.25 \$0.40 \$0.80

SPIREA VAN HOUTTEI. The well known "Bridal Wreath" that everybody loves. During May and June, the graceful, drooping sprays are completely covered with the pure white blossoms. It is hardy everywhere, beautiful in or out of bloom, and answers almost any purpose. In foundation plantings, in screens or trimmed hedges, or planted as individual specimens on the lawn, the lovely Spirea Van Houttei meets perfection. 4-6 ft. at maturity.

12-18 in., field-grown. \$0.20 \$1.50 \$2.50 18-24 in. transplants. .25 2.00 3.75 2-3 ft. heavy . . . . .35 2.80 5.00

SPIREA ANTHONY WATERER. The dwarf, crimson Spirea, and most popular of all low-growing shrubs. The plant is a mass of rose-crimson flowers in July, and from then on a frost, giving it the name "Everblooming Spirea." Excellent for edging, borders, and foundation planting.

feathery panicles of white bloom







# basic units of the Landscape Plan



#### SPIREA---Continued.

SPIREA BILLIARDI ROSEA. Long plumes of often lasting until September. A handsome plant for foundation groups, hedges, or border planting. 4.5 ft. at maturity.

SPIREA SORBIFOLIA (Ash-Leof Spirea).
Handsome fernlike foliage, similar to leaves of the Mountain Ash, sets off so well the long, feathery panicles of creamy white bloom. Does well in sunlight or shade, and is very hardy.

2-3 ft. select .....\$0.40 \$0.70 \$1.50

SPIREA THUNBERGI. Tiny, feathery foliage covering the numerous, arching branches gives the Thunbergi a delightful, fluffy appearance painty white flowers in the spring. 3.4 ft. at maturity.

1-2 ft. select .....\$0.25 \$0.40 \$0.80

STAGHORN SUMAC (Rhus typhing). Tall, broad-growing shrub, with luxuriant and broad-growing shrub, with luxuriant and lustrous foliage, deep green in the summer and brilliantly colored in the fall. Just the thing to fill up a corner or to dress up the background. Scarlet fruits in autumn. 12-15

Each 2 5 1-2 ft., field-grawn . .\$0.35 \$0.60 \$1.30

SYRINGA, MOCK ORANGE (Philadelphus coronarius). Tall, vigorous bush, noted especially for its white, waxen blooms of delicious fragrance. Invaluable for screens and background planting. 6.10 ft. at maturity.

Each 2 5 18-24 in. field-grawn. \$0.25 \$0.40 \$0.90 2-3 ft. select ... .. .35

SYRINGA LEMOINE. Somewhat lower growing than the Mock Orange, with an abundance of very large, fragrant blooms of sparkling white, sometimes semi-double; excellent foliage. 4-5 ft. at maturity.

Each 2 5 2 ft. average .....\$0.35 \$0.60 \$1.25

SYRINGA VIRGINAL. The finest of all the Syringas. The pure white flowers are extra large, five to seven in a cluster, some single, some double, some semi-double, and of the finest fragrance. A long hloomer—in fact, almost everblooming. 6.8 ft. at maturity.

TAMARIX PENTANDRA. The newest and best Tamarisk Foliage is very delicate and feathery, light gray-green in color, the graceful branches tipped with loose sprays of bright pink flowers, giving the appearance of a pink and silvery mist. A beautiful shrub that is ideal for corners and mass plantings.

SNOWBALL (Viburnum opulus sterile). The grand oldtime plant from our grandmothers' gardens, with a wealth of large, white ball-shaped blooms in May. A favorite for cemetery planting as well as the "homey" garden. 6-8 ft. at maturity.

 18-24 in. transplants
 Each \$0.25 \$0.40 \$0.90 \$0.90

 2-3 ft. heavy
 .35 .60 1.25

HIGH BUSH CRANBERRY (Viburnum apulus). Large bunches of shiny, crimson berries in the fall and winter are particularly ornamental. Earlier in the season the flat, white, clustered blooms are very pleasing against bright green foliage.

Each 2 5 2-3 ft. heavy .........\$0.40 \$0.75 \$1.50

JAPANESE SNOWBALL (Viburnum tomentosum plicatum). Splendid ornamental of upright, spreading habit, bearing an abundance of white, ball-shaped blooms, set off by corrugated, deep green foliage. 6.8 ft. at maturity.

Each 2 1-2 ft. transplants .. \$0.35 \$0.60 \$1.25

WEIGELA ROSEA (Diervilla). Showy, trumpet-shaped flowers of rose-pink cover the broad, bushy plant in abundance during May and June. An elegant shrub for specimen planting or foundation groups. 6-8 ft. at

Each 18-24 in. transplants. \$0.30 \$0.50 \$1.00

WEIGELA, EVA RATHKE. Rich ruby red blossoms in great abundance that last a very long time. Splendid for the foundation planting or border. 3.4 ft. at maturity.

Each 12-18 in. transplants. \$0.25 \$0.40 \$0.90 18-24 in. heavy . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 60 1.25

FRENCH PUSSY WILLOW (Solix caprea). A very interesting shrub or dwarf tree, producing many furlike, pearl-gray catkins, one to two inches long. Delight-ful in winter bouquets. 6-10 ft, at maturity.

2-3 ft., 40c each; 2 for 70c; 5 far \$1.40.



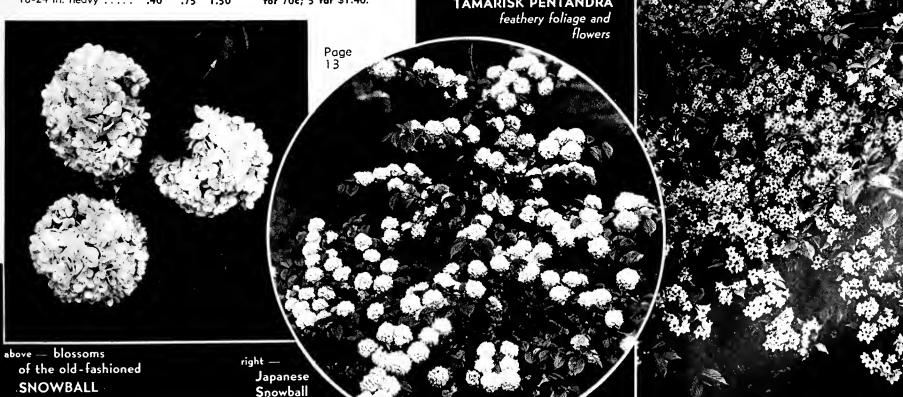
SYRINGA VIRGINALIS fragrant

double flowers in profusion

belaw -WEIGELA ROSEA a cataract

of pink

TAMARISK PENTANDRA feathery foliage and





## Ferris' DWARF FLOWERING TREES

Double Flowering Plum (Prunus triloba)

Rose Tree of China. Early in the spring before the leaves appear, it is entirely enveloped in a fleecy cloud of double pink flowers like small roses—a beautiful sight. Fine foliage, 6-8 ft, at maturity.

#### Purple Leaf Plum (Prunus cistena)

Rich foliage of crimson and dark purple gives wonderful contrast  Delightful for specimens, clumps

background.

Midget Crab (Malus micromalus)

Upright, vaselike tree, thickly covered with lovely pink flowers in May, followed by a heavy crop of midget fruits. Very showy in both blooming and fruiting periods. 12-15 ft. at maturity.

. . \$0.30

#### Scheidecker's Flowering Crob (Malus Scheideckeri)

Beautiful double blossoms of sweet fragrance in great abundance in May-red in the bud, changing to pink as they open. Splendid specimen type. 12-15 ft.

1-2 ft. ..... 4 ft. select .....

Bechtel's Double Flowering Crab (Malus ioensis Bechteli)

Like a huge bouquet on the lawn is this Bechtel's Crab when, during May and June, it is densely covered with delicate pink, double flowers, looking for all the world like small roses. Very fragrant. 15 

#### Japonese Flowering Crob

(Malus floribunda)

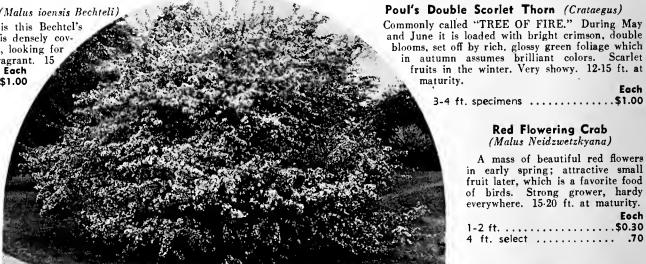
A mass of rose-red buds merging to white as they open, followed by artistic fruits of yellow in the fall. Very attractive to birds. 15-20 ft. at maturity.

#### Crimson Crab

(Malus atrosanguinea) Especially delightful is this showy flowering tree; in May it is loaded with brilliant, single, carmine flowers, with small, bright red fruit in the fall. 15-20 ft. at maturity

#### Purple Flowering Crob

4 ft. select .....



Crimson Crab-Malus Atrosanguinea.

#### "MODEL" Flowering Crab Collection

1 Jopanese Flowering Crab 1 Crimsan Crab

Scheldecker's Flowering Crab

1 Purple Flowering Crab These SIX Handsame Flawering Crabs—strong, well rooted plonts, 18-24 inches high—(Well worth \$3.00)—

FERRIS' BARGAIN PRICE

1 Midget Crab

Red Flowering Crob

(OR-Your Choice-any Three for \$1.00, Postpoid)

### Red Flowering Crab (Malus Neidzwetzkyana)

A mass of beautiful red flowers in early spring; attractive small fruit later, which is a favorite food of birds. Strong grower, hardy everywhere. 15.20 ft. at maturity.

Each

4 ft. select ......

#### Russian Olive

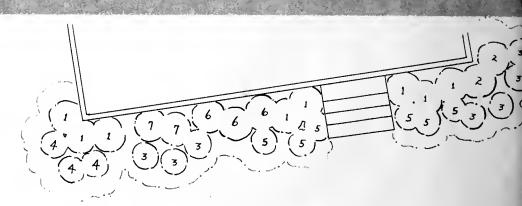
(Elaeagnus angustifolia)

Artistic, silvery gray foliage furnishes beautiful contrast in any planting; in June small, yellow, fragrant flowers appear followed by ornamental berries. Ideal as a spe-cimen or to accent shrubbery groups; popular also for screens. 10-30 ft. at maturity.

Each 2-3 ft. .....\$0.25 \$0.40 \$0.85 3-4 ft. ..... .35 .60 1.25

### Ferris' Landscape Planting No. 3

A simple planting, yet graceful and charming to the "nth" degree. It is surprising what a few Ferris shrubs will do to the exterior of your home. And the initial cost is the only cost-each year's growth adds to the beauty and character of the planting.





|     |    |   | Spirea Van Houttei, 12-18 in        |       | 2-3 ft. hvy \$2.24   |
|-----|----|---|-------------------------------------|-------|----------------------|
| (   | 2) | 2 | Weigela rosea, 18-24 in             | .50   | 2-21/2 ft70          |
| (   | 3) | 7 | Dwarf Deutzia, 12-15 in             | 1.40  | 12-15 in. 1.40       |
| (   | 4) | 3 | Japanese Barberry, 12-18 in         | .60   | 18-24 in. <b>.90</b> |
| (   | 5) | 6 | Spirea Anthony Waterer, 8-12 in     | .84   | 1-2 ft 1.32          |
|     |    |   | Japanese Flawering Quince, 18-24 in |       | 2-3 ft 1.05          |
| - ( | 7) | 2 | Forsythia, 2-3 ft                   | .50   | 3-4 ft               |
|     |    |   | Totals                              | 15 70 | \$8.36               |

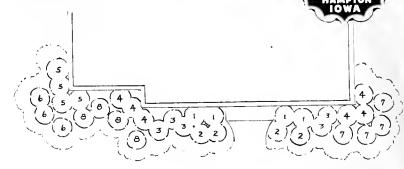
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# Attractive Landscaping at very small cost

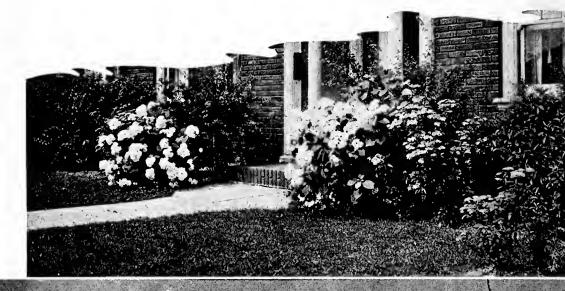
EARL RIS NURSERY HAMPTON TOWN

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| (8) | 4 Japanese Barberry, 12-18 in          | 18-24 in 1.20             |
|     | 4 Dwarf Deutzia, 12-15 in              | 12-15 in <b>.90</b>       |
|     | 3 Spirea Anthany Waterer, 8-12 in52    | 1-2 ft <b>75</b>          |
|     | 4 Syringa, Virginal, 12-18 in90        | 18-24 in <b>1.25</b>      |
| (4) | 6 Weigela rosea, 18-24 in 1.20         | 2-21/2 ft 1.80            |
|     | 5 Spirea Thunbergi, 1-2 ft             | 2-21/2 ft 1.00            |
| (2) | 4 Hydrangea arbarescens, 18-24 in 1.04 | 2-2½ ft 1.40              |
|     | 4 Spirea Van Hauttei, 12-18 in         | 2-3 ft. heavy \$1.30      |
|     |  |                           |



A BEAUTIFUL landscape setting for almost any style of architecture, softening the harsh lines, and bringing a lavish amount of bloom the season through. Shopping at the Earl Ferris Nursery for your landscape wants, you secure a large amount of beauty and color for a small amount of money.



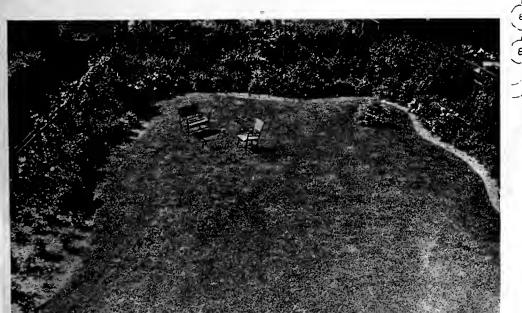
### Ferris' "MODEL" Outdoor Living Room

The comfortable, cheery, summer living room where the family loves to gather and to draw in admiring friends. Framing this delightful spot and giving it privacy are choice shrubs, with a succession of bloom from early until late. Friendly perennials fill the borders, with a mass of gay, colorful flowers the season through. This is a strictly modern garden in the Ferris style—at a SURPRISING LOW COST.

#### 35 Trees and Shrubs in this plan:

| (1)  | 1 | Cala. Blue Spruce SHINER Spec.         |
|------|---|--|
|      |   | 21/2-3 ft., B&B\$7.00                  |
| (2)  | 5 | Red Tartarian Haneysuckle, 2-3 ft 1.50 |
| (3)  | 3 | High Bush Cranberry, 2-3 ft 1.02       |
|      |   | Spirea Van Hauttei, 2-3 ft 1.68        |
|      |   | Red-Branched Dagward, 2-3 ft90         |
|      |   | Spirea Sarbifalia, 2-3 ft 1.05         |
|      |   | Deutzia crenata, 2-3 ft                |
|      |   | White Kerria, 2-3 ft 1.05              |
|      |   | Hansa Rugasa Rases, 2-yr90             |
| (10) | ă | French Lilacs, Assarted, 2-3 ft 1.35   |
| (11) | 3 | Weigela, Eva Rathke, 18-24 in90        |
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35 Trees and Shrubs (Cantinued at right)



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| 248 Perennial Plants in this plan:         A       8 Peonies (2 each: Karl Rosenfield, Edulis Superba, Mme. de Verneville and Meissonier)       \$2.30         B       5 Hibiscus       .60         C       3 Umbellatum Lilies       .60         D       5 Hollyhacks, Imperatar       .60         E       10 Fall Blaaming Asters, assarted       2.85         F       8 Sneezewart       .96         G       5 Blazing Star       .75         H       5 Statice       .60         I       10 Shasta Daisy       .60         J       5 Sedum spectabile       .75         K       5 Regal Lilies       .60         L       10 Stakesia       .90         M       10 Anthemis       .60         N       20 Viola (10 Mixed, 10 Blue Perfection)       2.10         O       10 Phlax subulata       .90         P       8 Platycadan       .48         Q       10 Coreapsis       .90         R       10 Pyrethrum, Mixed       .90         S       20 Delphinium (8 Gald Medal Hybrids, 6 Belladanna, 6 Bellamasa)       2.00         T       9 Phlax (3 Camus, 3 Orchid Rase, 3 Innacence)       1.70         U       12 Alaska | X   |
| 248 Plants Tatal Catalag Value, \$45.68   |     |

LANDSCAPE PRICE



Strong,

hardy,

plants

for

well rooted

quick and

permanent

hedges.

## Ferris' HEDGES > beautiful living fences

FOR THE LOW OR FORMAL HEDGE—Along the Wolk, Driveway or Boundary Lines.

JAPANESE BARBERRY

(Berberis Thunbergi)

A beautiful, rounded, compact plant full of sharp thorns, and densely covered with small, bright green leaves that turn to brilliant crimson in autumn. Scarlet berries cover the branches in the fall, and last long into the winter. Hardy everywhere, and will grow in partial shade as well as sun. Wonderful for hedges and ornamental groups. Plant 12 or 18 inches apart in the hedge row, and may or may not be trimmed, as desired. The Japanese Barberry is absolutely free of rust, and can be planted without question in any state. 

#### AMOOR RIVER NORTH PRIVET

(Ligustrum amurense)

The hardiest Russian Privet of them all, and the only Privet to use for hedge plantings in the North. Thick, compact grower, densely covered with lustrous, light green leaves that remain on the plant until late in the season. When properly sheared will give a very formal effect. Privet plants should be set 12 inches apart in the hedge. To get a bushy, compact hedge, the plants should be set several inches deeper than they were in the nursery and given a severe trimming at once, cutting them back one-third to one-half. Trim your hedge at least once a year in May or early June, squaring off the sides as well as the top.

8-12 in. light ......\$0.75 \$1.40 \$3.75 12-18 in. transplants . . . . . 1.10 2-3 ft. transplants ..... 2.50

18-24 in. hedging ......

A lovely frame for your landscape

privacy without obstructing the view.

...\$1.00 \$2.00 \$5.00



Hedge Amoar River Privet

SCREEN HEDGES

CARAGANA (Siberian Pea Tree) Extremely hardy hedge plant for the North and West where hot winds and drought often prevail. Numerous, twiggy branches are set off by showy lenticels and fine, light green leaves; small, bright yellow blossoms in the spring. A low hedge can be maintained by pruning annually; naturally it grows 10-15 feet, and will develop a splendid screen or background. Set 12 or 18 inches apart in the hedge row.

To Shut Off Unsightly Views - Seclusion for the Outdoor Living Room

SPIREA VAN HOUTTEI. Beautiful in or out of bloom, and the medium tall, broad. compact screen it makes is protective as well as ornamental. It is always hardy, growing anywhere, and will do well in partial shade. Even when trimmed and kept low, it is a splendid hedge, dense to the ground. For complete description, see page 12. Plant 24 to 30 inches apart in screen hedges. 12-18 in. transplants ...... 1.50 2.50 8.00

TARTARIAN HONEYSUCKLE. The finest of all shruhs for the tall screen. It grows rapidly, has thick foliage, small artistic flowers, and bright colored berries. Can be trimmed to form a medium hedge, or will grow 10 to 15 feet high when allowed 

CHINESE HEDGEWOOD (Dwarf Ulmus Pumila). A new hedge that is already in great favor. Extremely hardy and drought resistant, quick, compact grower, covered with artistic, fine leaves from early spring until late in the fall. Requires close pruning two or three times a year, and can be kept medium low for a boundary ledge, but is especially suitable for 6-10 foot screens and background hedges. Plant 1 foot apart; set the plants deeply and cut the tops back close to the ground.

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18-24 in. select ......\$0.75 \$1.50 \$5.25

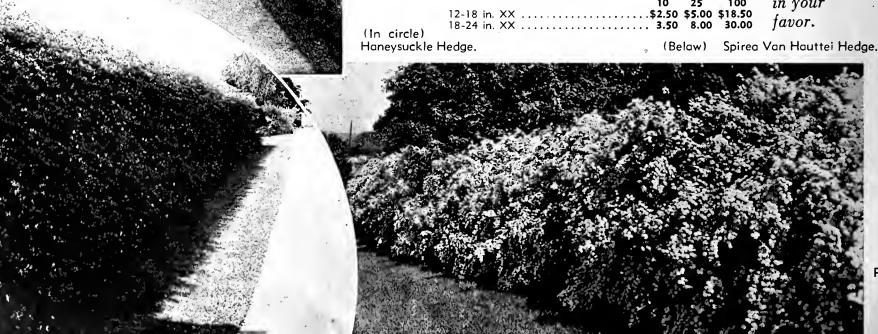


#### EVERGREEN HEDGE

AMERICAN ARBOR-VITAE. See full description of this very popular hedge evergreen on page 46. Plant 18 inches apart in the hedge row; trim once or twice annually.

10 25 100

These low prices are in your favor.



### Ferris' HARDY VINES Nature's Draperies

BOSTON IVY (Ampelopsis Veitchi). Dainty, lovely vine with small overlapping leaves, forming a dense sheet of deep green, turning in the fall to bright scarlet. Clings tightly to any surface without support. Hardy, but gives best results at north or east exposure.

Each 2-year .....\$0.35 \$0.60 \$1.20

ENGELMANN'S IVY (Ampelopsis Engelmanni). Handsome, five-leaved Ivy that grows with unusual speed, forms a dense covering, and is hardy anywhere. Readily climbs rough walls, fences and trellises; gives quick shade. Each 2 5 2-year ......\$0.25 \$0.40 \$0.80

CHINESE WISTERIA. We offer you grafted plants that are guaranteed to bloom. Beautiful, hanging clusters of lavenderblue flowers in June and July. Rapid grower. Eoch \$0.50 \$0.90 \$1.85 2-year ...

HONEYSUCKLE, Holliona (Hall's Japan). Old-time favorite, fine for fences, trellises or covering banks. White and yellow, fragrant flowers last nearly all summer; foliage almost evergreen. Does well in sun or shade. **Eoch 2** 5 2-year .....\$0.25 \$0.40 \$0.90

HONEYSUCKLE, Scorlet Trumpet. Handsome clusters of scarlet flowers in July and August; hardy, vigorous climber, excellent for porches and trellises.

Eoch 2 2-year .....\$0.30 \$0.50 \$1.00

SILVER LACE VINE (Polygonum Auberti). Beautiful, quick growing vine, with rich, glossy green foliage, and a mass of feathery white bloom from the middle of summer to late fall. Ideal for porch or Eoch 2-year ......\$0.60 \$1.10 \$2.40

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"IDEAL" FLOWERING VINE COLLECTION

1 Clematis Jackmani

1 Chinese Wisteria

Clematis Paniculata

BITTERSWEET. Favorite native vine, with bright glossy foliage, bearing sprays of bright orange berries in the fall that are so popular for winter bouquets. Sun or partial shade.

Eoch 2-year ...\$0.40 \$0.75 \$1.50

MATRIMONY VINE. Bushy, rapid growing vine, especially desirable for covering unsightly banks. Pur-

plish flowers followed by crimson berries. Very hardy.

2-year .....\$0.25 \$0.40 \$0.80

#### **CLEMATIS**

Of all the vines for either shade or decoration, none can compare with the gorgeous Clematis.

Planting Directions. Plant the Clematis in rich clay soil, mounded so that the water will not stand about the plant. It is important to see that the crown is 3 inches below the surface of the soil, cutting the top back to the crown. Water heavily before and during bloom. Cut worms may be avoided by wood ashes or a tin can with bottom cut out forced down over the root.

Clematis Jackmoni. The Giant Purple Clematis, and favorite everywhere. Rich flowers in abundance the summer through. 85c each; 2 for

CLEMATIS Henryi. Large sized flowers, lustrous white. 85c eoch; 2 for \$1.50.

Clemotis Andre. Beautiful, large flowers of velvety red. 85c eoch; 2 for \$1.50.

Clemotis poniculata. Luxuriant grower, with fine foliage, and an abundance of small, white, fragrant flowers in late summer and fall. 25c eoch; 2 for 40c; 5 for 85c.

If vines are desired by parcel post, add 5c for one, 10c for 5, or 15c for 10 plants.



### Climbing Roses

These are splendid for covering trellises, arbars and fences. Note our





# Friends of mankind SHADE

You can all enjoy the beauty and comfort of our splendid trees on your lawnsalong the street they will give seclusion, and will be a joy to the whole community.



#### American Elm.

#### MOUNTAIN ASH The Tree With the Red Berries.

#### CUT-LEAVED WEEPING BIRCH

It is hard to find a more beautiful, graceful tree. White bark, long, drooping branches, and tiny, finely cut leaves give a particularly refined touch to the landscape. Very effective when used in groups of two or three, or in concection with evergreens. Set deeply and firmly in good soil as soon as received, taking care not to expose the roots to the air. 40 to 60 feet high at maturity.

| Edch Z                               |      |
|--------------------------------------|------|
| 4-5 ft. transplanted\$1.25 \$2.20 \$ | 5.00 |
| 5-6 ft. transplanted 1.60 3.00       | 6.50 |
| 6-8 ft. heavy 2.25 4.00              | 9.00 |

#### CATALPA BUNGEI - Umbrella Tree

A striking tree for formal planting. The low, spreading head is about 6 feet from the ground, dome-shaped, with large, dense leaves, giving it the appearance of a big green umbrella. Our choice specimens will please you.

Each 2 5 2-year, heavy, 6 ft. average . . . . . \$1.50 \$2.50 \$5.00

#### CATALPA SPECIOSA

A beautiful picture in the spring when covered with the large white blooms. Grows rapidly, making a tall, upright tree, and has immense dark green leaves. 75 to 100 feet at

Each 2 5
6-8 ft., heavy ......\$0.65 \$1.00 \$2.20



Chinese Elm Windbreak.

#### CHINESE ELM (Siberian Strain)

The Wonder Tree that Grows as Fast as a Willow. Is Hardy Everywhere, Graceful as a Birch.

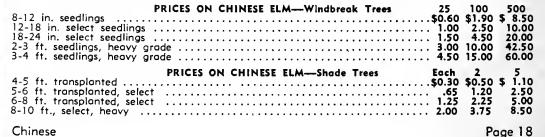
Everywhere, Graceful as a Birch.

No tree has swept the country in favor as has this very beautiful, supremely hardy, rapid growing Chinese Elm. In a single year it will grow 4 to 8 feet. As a lawn and shade tree it is perfect, growing compact and shapely, its slender, innumerable branches heavily covered with narrow, artistic leaves. It is one of the earliest to leaf out in the spring and the last to shed its foliage in the fall. Luxuriant shade may be enjoyed in just a few short years. Fifty to sixty feet at maturity.

We grow only the very hardy Siberian strain, from northern seed; our stock of Chinese Elm this season is unusually fine. Order early. From all sections of the country come the same glowing reports on our Chinese Elm; out on the arid western plains where few other trees exist, it thrives remarkably well, while in fertile sections it grows as no other tree has ever grown.

For windbreak and screen planting, it is ideal, on account of its quick growth, hardiness, and thick, compact nature. Plant in double or triple rows, 10 or 12 feet apart, and about 4 feet apart in the row. A row of these will soon hide an unsightly view or building.

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Cut-Leaved Weeping Birch.





# TREES ~ CNoblest of living things



#### BASSWOOD - American Linden

Splendid lawn tree, with round, compact top, broad green leaves that give dense shade, and fragrant flowers followed by winged fruit. Good bee pasturage. The Linden is a very hardy, vigorous grower, reaching 100 to 120 feet at maturity.

Each 2 5

6 ft., transplanted ......\$1.10 \$2.00 \$4.00

#### AMERICAN ELM

America's grandest tree and a favorite everywhere. Grows to immense size, with great spreading branches, and beautiful bright green foliage. Maiestic, hardy, long-lived; it is the ideal lawn or park tree.

|       | Eac                         | h 10     | 100     |
|-------|-----------------------------|----------|---------|
| 4-5 f | t transplanted\$0.3         | 5 \$2.50 | \$15.00 |
| 5-6 f | t. transplanted             | 0 3.00   | 16.50   |
| 6-8 f | t. transplanted5            | 0 4.00   | 25.00   |
| 8-10  | ft. transplanted, heavy 1.0 | 00.8     | 50.00   |

#### HARD MAPLE

The well known Sugar or Rock Hard Maple; a tree of grand form, with large foliage of rich green that turns in autumn to showy orange and red shades. Perfectly hardy. Magnificent shade tree for street or lawn. 100 to 120 feet at maturity.
6-8 ft. transplanted .......\$1.50 \$2.50 \$5.00
8-10 ft., heavy specimens .... 2.00 3.50 8.00
10-12 ft., heavy specimens .... 3.00 5.00 10.00

#### NORWAY MAPLE

Finest and most rapid growing of the Hard Maples. Symmetrical rounded top densely covered with beautiful dark green foliage, with late fall bringing rich scarlet and yellow colors. It withstands well the smoke and difficult conditions of the city. For street or lawn planting, it has few equals. We have very choice specimens for our customers this season. 75 to 100 feet at maturity.

| 8-10 ft., select specimens 1.75 3.20 7. 10-12 ft., select, heavy spec 3.00 5.50 12. 12-14 ft., select, heavy spec 5.00 9.00 20. | 6-7 ft. transplanted  | \$1.00       | \$1.75       | \$3.70        |
|---|---|--------------|--------------|---------------|
| 12-14 ft., select, neavy spec 5.00 9.00 20.   | 8-10 ft., select specimens<br>10-12 ft., select, heavy spec | 1.75<br>3.00 | 3.20<br>5.50 | 7.50<br>12.50 |
|   | 12-14 ft., select, neavy spec                               | 5.00         | 9.00         | 20.00         |



#### CAROLINA POPLAR

Most rapid growing shade tree. Grows tall and branching; leaves large and glossy, giving dense shade. 75 to 100 feet at maturity.

|     |     |            | 2      |        |
|-----|-----|------------|--------|--------|
| 4-5 | ft. | <br>\$0.35 | \$0.60 | \$1.25 |
| 5-6 | ft. | <br>60     | 1.00   | 2.00   |

#### LOMBARDY POPLAR

Tall, slim, formal—the most striking tree on the landscape. Popular for screens and backgrounds, its narrow, column form bringing out the rounded becauty of other trees and shrubs. 50 to 75 feet at

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|--------------------------------|----------|--------|---------|
| maturity.                      | Each     | 2      | 5       |
| 3-4 ft                         | . \$0.30 | \$0.50 | \$1.00  |
| 4-5 ft                         | 40       | .70    | 1.50    |
| 6-8 ft., heavy select          | 75       | 1.40   | 2.90    |
| 10-12 ft., extra select spec.  | 1.50     | 2.65   |         |
| 12-14 ft., extra select spec.  | 2.00     | 3.65   |         |

#### BOLLEANA POPLAR

Pin Oak

#### LAUREL-LEAF WILLOW

Shrubby in habit, with chestnut-brown bark, and deep, lustrous green foliage. Quick growing, fine for screens and backgrounds. 20 to 30 feet at maturity.

2-3 ft.

\$0.80 \$1.50 \$4.50

NIOBE WEEPING WILLOW

Drooping, graceful top covered with narrow green leaves that have a silver facing; golden yellow bark. Very effective on the landscape and hardy everywhere. 30 to 40 feet at maturity.

WISCONSIN WEEPING WILLOW
The most widely planted Weeping Willow. Its charming drooping habit of attractive in the background or close to pools. Hardy. 30 to 40 feet at maturity.

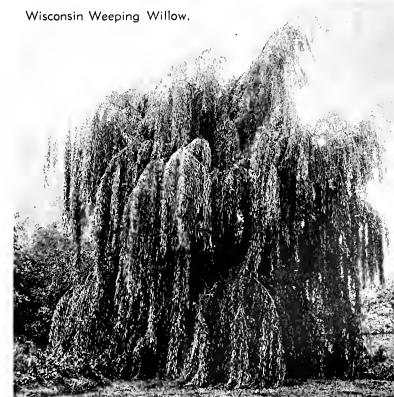
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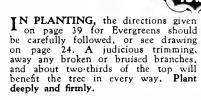
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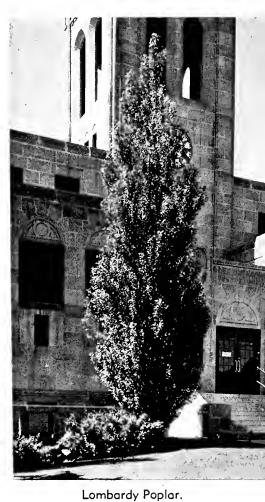
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Our Shade Trees are all select, heavy, transplanted trees, that are bound to give the planter fine results if properly cared for.





### Ferris offers the leading STRAWBERRIES

#### Order Before

Order your Straw-berry plants before May 1st, for early spring planting is the safest and best. After May 1st the cost May Ist of handling Strawberry plants is almost doubled, and we must get 25 per cent more on all Strawberries sold after that date. We advise express shipment for 500 or more plants.



Start a Ferris Strawberry Patch this year-just a small corner of the garden set to our strong, vigorous plants will produce enough juicy, delicious berries for all the shortcakes the family can eat, as well as canning, pies and other concoctions.

#### Spring-Bearing Varieties

Dunlap The old favorite, and still the most popular of all Strawberries. Immense, rich red berries of supreme flavor; heavy producer, and hardy everywhere. 25 for 35c; 50 for 50c; 100 for 70c; 200 for \$1.30; 500 for \$2.50; 1,000 for \$4.50.

Blakemore This grand Strawberry became popular overnight.

Large, firm berries are clear red to the center, and of high quality. Rich flavor, high coloring, and good keeping qualities make it a market favorite; it surpasses them all for canning and preserving. Hardy, vigorous grower, heavy bearer—in fact, a great, all-around Strawberry. 25 for 35c; 50 for 50c; 100 for 70c; 200 for \$1.30; 500 for \$2.50; 1,000 for \$4.50.



Fairfax.



passing all others in yield and quality. Fruit is firm and keeps unusually well; for the last two years they have topped the market wherever they have been grown. The nearest "frost-proof of any Strawberrics. Plants of these two wonderful new varieties are still scarce, so order early.

Fairfax Extra large berry of dark red, conical in form, juicy, firm, flavor and quality of the very finest. Splendid keeper and shipper. 25 for 40c; 50 for 70c; 100 for \$1.10; 200 for \$2.00; 500 for \$4.00; 1,000

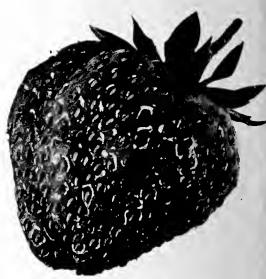
Dorsett Brilliant red berries, large and rounded, with a rich, sweet flavor that has never been equalled. Early and long-time hearer. 25 for 40c; 50 for 70c; 100 for \$1.10; 200 for \$2.00; 500 for \$4.00; 1,000



The Giant Everbearing Strawberry Fresh, Delicious Berries All Season Long.

The King of all Everbearing Strawberries! Immense in size, full of sweet, rich flavor, and the heaviest producer of them all.

And imagine having these large, luscious berries in three months time!—then continuing until frost stops them in late fall. Our superior strain is extra hardy-strong, vigorous plants producing big crops in all sections of the country. 25 for 50c; 50 for 80c; 100 for \$1.40; 200 for \$2.60; 500 for \$6.00; 1,000 for \$10.00.



Mastodon.



ASPARAGUS Fresh and Tender from your own garden—Try it!

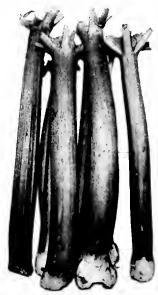
A little space in the garden will grow all of the Asparagus you will need. Plant the roots in deep, rich soil, the crowns about 4 inches below the surface. For best results, fertilize annually with well-rotted manure when through cutting in Junc. It is best not to cut Asparagus the first year.

WASHINGTON RUSTPROOF. Very finest of all Asparagus. Shoots are thick and heavy, tender; flavor unsurpassed. Yield extremely heavy. 2-yeor roots, No. 1, 25 for 40c; 100 for \$1.50; 1,000 for \$12.00. (If desired by parcel post, add 8c for 25, or 20c for 100 roots).



LINNAEUS. Giant stalks, very tender, and of very fine flavor-the kind that can be used all season. For delicious pies and sauce, it is the housewife's favorite. Plant about 3 feet apart in good, rich about 3 feet apart in good, rich soil, with the crowns 1 inch below level of the ground. 15c each; 5 for 50c; 10 for 85c; 100 for \$6.00. (If desired by parcel post, add 5c each, 8c for 5, 10c for 10, or 40c for 100).





#### How to Plant Strawberries

Plant Strawberries in good, rich, well-drained soil; the crown of the plant when set should be at the surface of the ground or a trifle below it. Tamp the earth firmly around the roots, leaving a thin layer of loose soil at the top of the ground to prevent baking. For distance apart to set the plants, see page 24. It will take about 8,000 prants, see page 24. It will take about 8,000 spring-bearing plants to the acre, or 10,000 everbearing plants. Keep ground clean and well cultivated. It is best to keep blossoms and runners on the everbearing varieties pinched off until the middle of July. In late fall, when the ground is frozen down an inch or two, cover with clean example and down and the properties are down and the proper with clean straw, leaves, or cornstalks, and do not uncover too early in the spring.

#### HORSERADISH

The snappy relish that tastes so good in the springtime. Fit the soil as you would for strawberries, and plant with the top about 1 inch below the surface of the ground. 10c each; 10 for 85c. (If desired by parcel post, add 4c each, or 10c for

### Luscious HARDY GRAPES universal favorites

#### Care and Pruning

Plant grapes deeply and firmly in good, rich soil, about 6 to 8 ft. apart. Annual and careful pruning is essential to the production of good grapes, this pruning to be done between November and March while the vines are entirely dormant.

In trimming grapes, perhaps the best method to follow is to keep them trained to two wires run between posts, the first wires about 2½ to 3 ft. from the ground, the second 5 to 6 ft. from the ground. The main shoot or stock should run up to the top wire, with 2 branches growing out from the central stock on both wires, one in each direction.

Wholesame, Luscious Fruits-Favarites the World Over.

Grape jelly and jam, grape pie, grape juice, fresh grapes at the table—and all you want! Just a few Ferris plants will bear you big crops every year, and last a lifetime besides.

#### CONCORD—the old favorite everywhere

Large, blue-black berries of sweet, fine flavor, on a large, compact bunch. Very hardy and productive. Most popular of all grapes. 2-year plants, 12c each; 10 far 85c; 25 far \$1.75; 100 far \$5.95; 200 or mare at \$5.50 per 100.

#### Other Standard Varieties

MOORE'S EARLY. Favorite early grape, ripening two weeks before Concord. Berry is large, blue-black, splendid quality. Hardy, heavy producer, and a grand commercial grape.

WORDEN. Ideal for home use. Large size fruit of the finest flavor, ripening a week before Concord. Hardy, and heavy bearer.

AGAWAM. Large, light red grape of sweet, rich flavor. Excellent for table and wine use.

NIAGARA. Hardiest and best white grape grown. Large sized fruit of sweet, delicious flavor.

BETA. Hardiest of all grapes; medium size fruit of juicy, sprightly flavor, is unexcelled for jellies and wines. Handsome vine for trellises and arbors.

Prices on these five varieties: 2-yr. piants, 15c each; 10 far \$1.35; 25 for \$2.50; 100 for \$9.00; 200 ar mare at \$8.00 per 100.



CACO. Most beautiful and the finest of the hardy red grapes. Large bunches filled with big juicy red berries of a very delicious sweet flavor. Rapid, vigorous grower, bearing young and heavily. 2-year plants, 25c each; 10 far \$2.10.

FREDONIA. A wonderful, new, early black grape, ripening three weeks earlier than Concord. Large, compact clusters, berries large and round injury and deliciously

round, juicy and deliciously flavored. Very hardy, very productive and a strong grower. 2-year plants, 25c each; 10 for \$2.10.

PARCEL POST RATES ON

ALL GRAPES
Add 5c each, 10c far 6, 15c far 10, 20c far 15, or 40c far 50 plants. More than 50 plants shauld go by express.

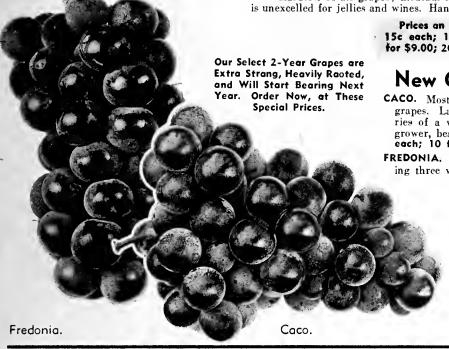
### RED-WHITE-BLUE Grape Assortment

4 Concard Grape 2 Maare's Early Grape 2 Worden Grape 1 Beta Grape

l Fredonia Grape l Caca Grape l Niagara Grape

These 12 Very Hardy, Select Grapes, 2-Year (Regular Catalog Price, \$2.00)

BARGAIN \$ 1.69
PRICE Pastpaid





Fay's Prolific Currants.

#### **CURRANTS**

Yau Will Want Spicy Currant Jeily for the Winter Stare.

(Postage Rates on all Currants: Add 5c each, 10c for 12, or 15c for 25 plants).

FAY'S PROFLIFIC. Leading market current—large, beautiful red berries of superior flavor, and a big cropper. 25c each; 12 for \$2.30; 25 for \$3.85.

PERFECTION. Extra large, bright red berries of superb quality; hardy, good bearer. Considered the finest of all red currants. 30c each; 12 for \$3.00; 25 for \$5.50.

LONDON MARKET. Fruit large, bright red, and of excellent flavor. Good for either home or market use. 25c each; 12 for \$2.30; 25 for \$3.85.

WHITE GRAPE CURRANT. Rich, sweet flavor; finest of all white currants. 30c each; 12 far \$3.00; 25 far \$5.50.



#### **GOOSEBERRIES**

There's Nathing Quite Like the Pies and Preserves from Ferris' Goaseberries.

(1f Gooseberries ore desired by porcel past, add 5c eoch; 10c far 12 plants, or 15c far 25 plants).

HOUGHTON. The old standby. Pale red, sweet and good. Medium size; very hardy and productive. 25c each; 12 for \$2.40; 25 for \$3.85.

CARRIE. Medium to large berry of fine quality; heavy cropper. Hardy everywhere. Popular for canning and preserves. 30c each; 12 for \$3.00; 25 for \$5.00.

DOWNING. Fruit very large, flesh whitish green, and excellent flavor. A favorite. 40c eoch; 12 for \$3.75.



# Rich and Tempting RASPBERRIES

#### **LATHAM**

The Greatest Red Raspberry in All the World!

Big, handsome herries of clear red color, and full of rich quality and flavor that simply can not be equalled. Hardy everywhere, and the heaviest producer of all. The fruit is firm, keeps well and ships well; the most popular market berry as well as for the home. Our Latham plants are a splendid, thrifty lot, northern grown, and often start bearing the first year. Select, No. 1, 2-year plants, 12 for 60c; 25 for 90c; 100 for \$3.20; 1,000 for \$24.00. (If desired by parcel post, add 10c for 12, 15c for 25, or 25c per 100).

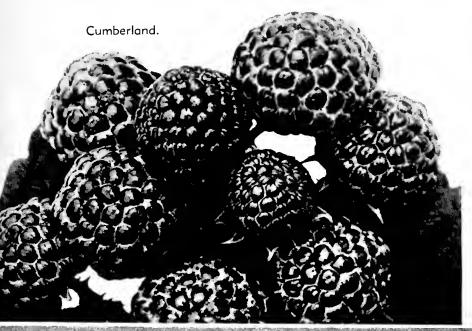
#### NEW CHIEF Finest Early Red Raspberry. An off-spring of the famous

Latham, having many of the fine qualities of its parent, and some even to a greater degree. The immense crop of fruit starts ripening 10 to 12 days earlier than Latham, and these early berries, sweet and deliciously flavored, bring high market prices. Hardy in all sections. Berries a trifle smaller than the Latham; excellent for cooking or eating fresh. 2-year plants, 12 for 60c; 25 for 90c; 100 for \$3.20; 1,000 for \$24.00. (If desired by parcel post, add 10c for 12, 15c for 25, or 25c per 100).

CUMBERLAND The Black Raspberry that has Never Been Excelled. Large berries, firm, juicy, and of the finest flavor—these borne in enormous quantity on strong, vigorous, hardy canes. Eaten fresh, Cumberland berries are delicious, and they make the richest of jams and preserves. Our Improved Cumberland is the finest strain; our select, No. 1, northern grown plants are the best that can be grown.

Cumberland Tips (Good, 1-yr. plants): 12 for 50c; 25 for 90c; 100 for \$3.00; 500 for \$10.00. (If the tips are desired by parcel post, add 10c for 12, 15c for 25, or 40c for 100).

Cumberland Transplants (Select, 2-yr. plants): 12 for 90c; 25 for \$1.75; 100 for \$6.00; 500 for \$22.50. (If the transplants are desired by parcel post, add 15e for 12, add 25e for 25, or 80c for 100).



#### Grow your own Raspberries from Ferris' select hardy plants, and have for once all you want. The high prices they command on the market make them a luxury few can afford. Raspberries need very little care, and the small amount you pay out for our No. 1 plants will repay you thousandfold in delicious berries for pies and jams, with oftentimes a nice surplus to sell at a good profit.

Plant Raspberries shallow in any good growing soil, and for distance apart to plant see page 24. Use shallow cultivation then early in June mulch heavily with straw. The wood which fruited this year should be cut out after the last picking and burned. Trim back the ends of the canes about one-third early in the spring of each year.



### BLACKBERRIES

For delicious jams, jellies, and pies, the Blackberry is hard to beat. Very easy to grow, requiring ordinary, well-drained soil. A good mulching under the bushes will help to conserve the moisture, and we advise pinching back the canes occasionally through the season.

Sparkling fruitsjuicy and rich -excellent for desserts.

ELDORADO. The outstanding Blackberry—very hardy, berries jet black, sweet, and of very inviting flavor. Bears young and heavily; good keepers, good shippers. 12 for 60c; 25 for \$1.00; 100 for \$3.20. (If desired by parcel post, add 10c for 12 plants, 15c for 25, or 40e for 100).

#### **DEWBERRIES**

LUCRETIA. Low-growing trailing canes that produce great quantities of long, black, sweet herries of fine quality. Ripens about 10 days earlier than Black-berries. Should have winter protection in severe climates. 12 for 65c; 25 for \$1.10. (If desired by parcel post, add 10c for 12 plants, or 15e for 25).

#### Selected PEACHES

Our Special Prices on all Peach trees: Select, No. 1, averaging 4 to  $4\frac{1}{2}$  ft. high, 45c each; 10 for \$4.00.

CRAWFORD'S EARLY. Fine flavored Peach of large size; yellow blushed red. Freestone.

CRAWFORD'S LATE. Large, deep yellow with red check; excellent quality. Freestone.

ELBERTA. The great canning Peach Large yellow fruit, blushed, and of fine flavor. Freestone.

J. H. HALE. Beautiful large Peach, yellow blushed red, with solid flesh of delicious flavor. Considered the finest. Freestone.

#### Favorite PEARS

Our Special Prices on all Pear trees: Strong, well-rooted, No. 1, averaging 4 to 41/2 ft. high, 60c each; 10 for \$5.00.

BARTLETT. Large, yellow Pear of fine sweet flavor. Very popular summer variety.

KIEFFER. Well known canning Pear; fruit large and yellow; a good keeper. Favorite winter Pear.

LINCOLN. Fine large fruit of clear yellow flushed red, and whether canned or eaten fresh, its flavor is delicious; late summer. Bears young and heavily.

PATTEN. A wonderful, hardy Pear, doing well even in the North. Large, greenish yellow fruit, blushed; flesh is very tender, juicy, sweet and rich. We highly recommend the Patten.



#### Extra Select - Splendid Roots and Tops - Quick to Bear - Guaranteed True to Name

#### SUMMER APPLES

ANOKA. Wonderful new apple that usually starts bearing the next year after planting—imagine!—fresh apple pie in two years' time. Large fruit, striped red, good flavor.

DUCHESS OF OLDENBERG. Top of the list for summer cooking apples. Fruit large, striped red, fine quality, and hardy everywhere.

EARLY HARVEST. Medium size early apple of clear, waxy yellow; juicy, good quality.

RED ASTRACHAN. Best early red apple for the North; good size fruit, dark red, fine quality.

YELLOW TRANSPARENT. Medium size, golden yellow apples in great abundance every year—juicy, tender, and of fine flavor—excellent for eating or cooking.

#### FALL APPLES

FAMEUSE (Snaw). Crimson striped apples, with pure white flesh; juicy and of highest quality. October.

MAIDEN BLUSH. Large yellow apple, blushed, and of fine flavor. Good for cooking and eating. August to October.

WEALTHY. The grand fall apple that does well everywhere. Large size fruit striped red, tender, juicy, excellent qualgood for cooking and eating. Bears young and

#### WINTER APPLES

DELICIOUS, RED. "Delicious" in every sense of the word, it has held the world record as a Perfect Apple. Large fruit, rich red and yellow blend, outstanding quality and flavor. Our trees are genuine Delicious, descended from the original tree stock.

GANO (Black Ben Davis). Large, bright red apple with polished skin; splendid for cooking; long keeper. Early, prolific bearer.

GRIMES GOLDEN. Full of rich spicy flavor is this golden yellow apple that has been popular for many years. Bears young and heavily; fine market sort.

HARALSON. The leading winter apple for the North, being exceptionally hardy. Good size, rich red fruit, tender juicy flesh, and of fine quality and flavor; a splendid keeper. Bears very young.

JONATHAN. A great apple and a great favorite everywhere. Large, bright red fruit, with crisp, juicy flesh, and the hest flavor imaginable.

McINTOSH RED. Beautiful, large, crimson apple; flesh white, crisp, tender and richly flavored. Hardy, vigorous grower.

SALOME. Splendid, hardy apple for the North. Large, rich red fruit of extra fine quality. Will keep until May.

STAYMAN'S WINESAP. Very large, red apple of rich flavor; a favorite for both eating and cooking. Popular market sort.

TOLMAN SWEET. The favorite sweet apple. Light yellow fruit somewhat blushed; flavor very fine; good keeper.

#### **CRAB APPLES**

them all when it comes to beauty, hardiness, and jelly making—producing when very young great clusters of deep, solid rcd fruit that makes the finest kind of jelly. In spring the tree is like a big bouquet when covered with the blush pink blooms, and will

DOLGO. The new Crab that surpasses

Do not pass these by—They are grand sorts

#### BRIGHT RED **DELICIOUS**

The improved type of Delicious—hardy, heavy bearer, and full of delicious flavor like the original, then, in addition, the apples are a solid, rich red color, and keep longer. Bears young. This wonderful apple should be in every home orchard.

#### YELLOW DELICIOUS

Handsome, golden yellow fruit of immense size; flesh firm; juicy, crisp, and of a most delicious sweet-tart combination; a splendid keeper. Very young bearer. Truly the finest yellow winter apple.

4-6 ft., select, heavy .........\$0.75 \$6.50

#### SPECIAL PRICES ON ALL APPLE AND CRAB TREES

Except Bright Red Delicious, Yellow Delicious, and Sharon.

See below for prices on these three varieties.

**4-6 ft. average height.** Fine, smooth, select trees, with 3-year root and 2-year top.

65c each 10 for \$5.30 for \$12.50

(The 4 to 6 ft. Apple trees should always be shipped by express. They cannot be shipped by parcel post unless given a severe pruning. Send 10c per tree extra pruning. Send 10c per tree extra for trimming, packing and postage, if you must have these No. 1 Apple trees by parcel post).

# make a fine addition to your landscape planting. HYSLOP. Large, deep crimson Crab of fine flavor. WHITNEY. Largest of all Crabs and immensely popular; excellent flavor. Splendid for pickles and preserves. The "SUPREME" Winter Apples SHARON JONATHAN

### "SUPREME"

Winter Apple Bargain

There are No Finer Winter Apples

2 Bright Red Delicious 2 Yellow Delicious

2 Sharon

THESE SIX WONDERFUL APPLE TREES 4-6 ft. high, by express, for



# We Grow the FINEST PLUMS

#### And they bear so young—usually the next year after planting. Plant several varieties in your clump to get the biggest and best crops. Our hardy, northern grown Plum trees are so easy to grow-all select No. 1 grade.

(Note: Our supply of Plum trees is very limited this season; in fact, good fruit trees are extremely scarce throughout the United States, and you should order your wants early. Ferris' Plum Trees are grafted on Plum root—not Peach root as some nurseries do- and can be grown successfully in all

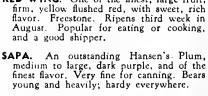
sections of the country).

FIEBING PRIZE. Extra large, extra hardy, red plum of excellent quality. Firm flesh, bright color, and fine flavor makes it a splendid market sort. You will like it mighty well for eating fresh or cook-

LA CRESCENT. Fruit is clear golden yellow, very tender and sweet, and makes wonderful preserves and pies; ripens early. Ideal for home use.

OPATA. Earliest to ripen. Dark purplish red plum of medium size, with very pleasing "sweet-acid"

Superior Plum.



RED WING. One of the finest: large fruit.

Our Special Prices

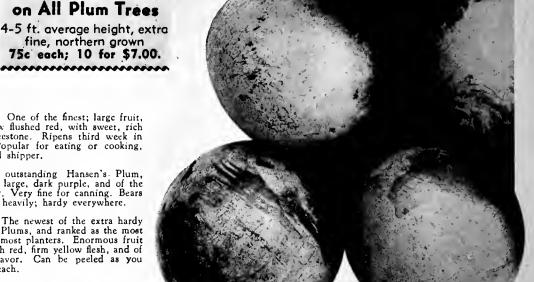
fine, northern grown

SUPERIOR. The newest of the extra hardy Minnesota Plums, and ranked as the most perfect by most planters. Enormous fruit of clear rich red, firm yellow flesh, and of delicious flavor. Can be peeled as you would a passel. would a peach.

UNDERWOOD. A splendid plum—very large, red fruit, juicy and sweet; fine quality. Heavy, annual producer, and hardy everywhere. This valuable plum should he in every planting.



Montmorency Cherries.



Underwood Plums.

ANETA. Bears great quantities of extremely large, dark reddish purple plums of rich, fine flavor. Very hardy and prolific.

**ZUMBRA.** Large, purple-skinned fruit, with firm, crisp flesh; splendid for canning, for pies, and for eating out of hand. Early to fruit and a heavy cropper; hardy in all sections.

### **Delicious CHERRIES**

A fresh Cherry Pie is so appetizing! Plant the unused corner or back lot line to Ferris' Hardy Cherry trees, and you will have all the cherries you need for canning, pies and eating fresh. It's so simple to grow them—all they need is good, well drained soil, planting them at the same depth as in

EARLY RICHMOND. Most popular early cherry. Every year it produces heavy crops of bright red cherries, juicy, and rich flavored; great favorite for cooking. Extremely hardy. Select, No. 1 trees, 4 ft. average, 40c each; 10 for \$3.50.

MONTMORENCY. Beautiful, large, red Cherry of the finest flavor, ripening 10 days later than the Early Richmond. A heavy annual bearer and very hardy; ideal for canning. Select, No. 1 trees, 3½ to 4 ft. average, 40c each; 10 for \$3.50.

#### How to Plant a Tree SET TREE IN TUB OF WATER WHILE DIGGING HOLE.

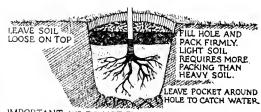


SET TREE TRIFLE DEEPER THAN IT GREW IN NURSERY.



SPREAD ROOTS TO NATURAL POSITION 

FILL IN AMONG ROOTS WITH COOD LOAMY SOIL. WORK IN BY HAND OR SETTLE WITH WATER.



IMPORTANT: WE DO NOT ENCOURAGE THE USE OF MAN URE. IF WELL DECAYED AND MIXED WITH SOIL IT SHOULD BE USED ONLY ON THE TOP.

#### Planting Directions

See Table below showing distance apart to plant fruit trees. In setting your trees, follow closely the drawing on this page, being careful to set deeply and firmly in good soil, then prune the top back severely. The ideal place for small fruits such as raspberries, is hetween the rows of fruit trees; they will then both get the shallow cultivation that means hest success.

To produce healthy, well developed fruit, you should spray your trees at least three times a year, with Bordeaux Mixture, which can be secured at any drug store. First, they should he sprayed in the cluster bud stage, when the buds show pink but have not opened up; second, when 95 per cent of the petals have fallen; third, three weeks after the second spray. You will find fruit trees easy of culture; they will do well on almost any well-drained

#### "How Far Apart Shall I Plant?"

The correct distance apart to plant is often a problem to planters. There are no set rules for this, but with our years of experience in planting and growing, we are glad to suggest advisable distances to our customers, which will work very satisfactorily in every way.

| App  | le Trees 2              | 25 to | 40   | ft. | apart |
|------|-------------------------|-------|------|-----|-------|
| Che  | ry Trees                | 5 to  | 18   | ft. | apart |
| Plui |                         |       |      |     | apart |
| Pcar |                         |       |      |     | apart |
| Peac |                         |       |      |     | apart |
| Graj | es                      |       |      |     | apart |
| Cur  |                         |       |      |     | apart |
| Ras  | berries 4               |       |      | _   | apart |
| Blac | kberries 3              |       |      |     | apart |
| Spri | ng-Bearing Strawberries |       |      |     |       |
| (1   | ield) 1½                | by    | 31/2 | ft. | apart |
| Ever | bearing Strawberries    |       |      |     |       |
| (1   | ield) 1                 | by    | 31/2 | ft. | apart |
|      | wberries (Garden) 1½    | by    | 11/2 | ft. | apart |
| Asp  | ragus (In beds) 1       | by    | 11/2 | ft. | apart |
| Aspa | ragus (In field) 1      | by .  | 3    | ft. | apart |

#### How to Determine the Number of Trees or Plants to an Acre

Multiply the distance in feet between the rows by the distance the trees or plants are apart in the row, and the product will give the number of square feet that each tree or plant will occupy; then divide this number into the number of square feet in an acre (43,560), and it will give you the number of trees or plants to the acre.





### Che glorious permanent PERENNIAL

You will find no end to our wonderful flower garden values! Mother Nature brings you her finest treasures in Ferris' Perennials—flowers of every known color and pattern—flowers that COME BACK YEAR AFTER YEAR WITHOUT REPLANTING—flowers that fill the borders with beauty and brilliancy, and make up the most artistic house bouquets. From our wide selection of choice Perennials, you can readily choose an assortment to fit your needs, and that will give you a glorious succession of bloom from early spring until killing frost in late fall.

#### Our Perennial Guide To make selection easy

NOTE—Varieties marked with are especially suitable for Rock Gardens.

|  | Time  |   | NOTE—Varieties marked with 3 are especially suitable for Rock Gardens. |   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|--|---|---|--|---|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| Color  | af<br>Bloam   | Variety   | Matured<br>Height  | General<br>Remarks  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |   |   |  |   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| White<br>Pink<br>Yellow<br>Golden            | June-July<br>July-Aug.                                  | *ACHILLEA, The Pearl . *ACHILLEA, Roseum *ACHILLEA, Filipendula . *ALYSSUM, Basket af | 15 in.<br>18 in.<br>2-3 ft.  | Splendid barder plant.<br>Fine for cutting.<br>Showy in border ar<br>rockery.<br>Fine edging plant. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Yellow<br>Various<br>Bluish-<br>Purple       |   | Gold<br>*ANTHEMIS<br>*AQUILEGIA<br>*ASTER Alpinus, Goliath.                           | 18 in.<br>18 in.<br>6-9 in.  | Excellent border plant. Partial shade. Edging or rock garden.                                       |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Various<br>Rose-red                          | SeptOct.<br>May-June                                    | ASTERS, Fall Blaaming .<br>BLEEDING HEART,<br>Camman                                  | 3-4 ft.<br>2 ft.   | Ideal for border and cut flowers.   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Pink   | All Summer  | ⇒BLEEDING HEART,  |  | ,   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Purple<br>Various                            | AugSept.<br>June-July                                   | Everblooming BLAZING STAR CANTERBURY BELLS  | 18 in.<br>4 ft.<br>2-3 ft.   | Sun or shade.<br>Sun ar shade.<br>Handsome barder<br>plant.   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Blue   | June to   | CAMPANULA Carpatica   | 9 in.  | Lovely edging plant.  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Scarlet                                      | Oct.<br>All Summer                                      | CARNATION, Krimson  |  |   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Orange-<br>Red                               | SeptOct.  | King  | 18 in.<br>2 ft.  | Showy.<br>Winter bouquets.  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Various                                      | Sept.ta<br>Nav.   | CHRYSANTHEMUMS,<br>Hardy  | 2-3 ft.  | Fall favorites.   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Yellow                                       | AllSummer   | COREOPSIS Grandiflora.  | 2 ft.  | Beautiful for cutting.  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Blue<br>Various                              | June-Sept.<br>June to<br>Aug.                           | DELPHINIUMS   | 2-4 ft.<br>15 in.  | Favorites everywhere.<br>Fragrant.  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Various<br>Blue                              | June-July<br>June to<br>Aug.                            | DIGITALIS   | 3-5 ft.<br>6 in.   | Partial shade.<br>Damp location.  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Blue<br>Red-<br>Yellow                       | July-Aug.<br>All Summer                                 | FUNKIA, Blue<br>GAILLARDIA  | 18 in.<br>2 ft.  | Sun or shade.<br>Likes sunshine.  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Yellaw<br>White<br>Various<br>Various        | Aug.<br>July-Aug.<br>May to July<br>AugSept.<br>June to | GOLDEN GLOW  *GYPSOPHILA  *HELIANTHEMUM  HIBISCUS                                     | 5-6 ft.<br>2 ft.<br>6 in.<br>3-4 ft.                                   | Background.<br>Beautiful in bouquets.<br>Dry, sunny place.<br>Shawy background.                     |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Various<br>White<br>Various<br>White<br>Blue | Aug.<br>May-June<br>May-June<br>May-June                | HOLLYHOCKS  *IBERIS Sempervirens IRIS, German  *LILY-OF-THE-VALLEY  *LINUM perenne    | 5-6 ft.<br>8 in.<br>2½ ft.<br>6 in.<br>12 in.                          | Elegant tall border.<br>Edging and rockery.<br>Ideal borders.<br>Shade.<br>Border and rockery.      |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

#### How to Grow Perennials

Most of the percanials can be planted in either spring or fall, though spring is generally conceded a little the safest for the majority. Plant in good rich ground, that has been prepared the same as you would for any garden crop, and as a rule the crowns should be on a level with the ground. Set the low and medium growing perennials 8 to 12 inches apart, the taller ones 18 or 24 inches apart. The more shallow cultivation you give them with the hoe, the better they will be, and the more attractive your garden. During dry periods they should be given plenty of moisture, especially until well established. A light covering of straw, leaves or other coarse litter placed over the bed in late fall when the ground is frozen 2 inches down, will insure safety, and do not uncover too early in the spring.

| Calar                                | Time<br>af<br>Blaam                               | Variety   | Matured<br>Height                       | General<br>Remarks  |
|--------------------------------------|---|---|---|---|
| Blue-Pink<br>Red                     |   | LUPINES   | 2-3 ft.<br>20-30 in.                    | Sheltered location.<br>Rich color for the barder.                                       |
| Variaus                              | May-June  | PEONIES   | 21/2 ft.                                | Gorgeous spring flaw-<br>ers.   |
| Red-<br>Pink                         | AllSummer   | PERENNIAL SWEET PEA   | 5 ft.                                   | Hardy climber.  |
| Various<br>Variaus<br>Blue-<br>White | May-June  | PHLOX, Hardy  | 2½ ft.<br>6 in.<br>2 ft.                | Shawlest border plant.<br>Graund cover.<br>Shawy border plant.                          |
| Purple<br>Pink-Red-<br>White         | July to Oct.<br>June                              | PURPLE CONEFLOWER PYRETHRUM   | 3 ft.<br>2 ft.                          | Sun or partial shade.<br>Sunny border.  |
| Pink<br>Lavender<br>Blue             | May-June<br>June to<br>Sept.                      | *SAPONARIA  | 8 in.<br>1 ft.                          | Fine for racks.<br>Fine cut flowers.  |
| Various<br>Rose-<br>Pink             |   | *SEDUM, Dwarf<br>*SEDUM, Erect  | 6 in.<br>18 in.                         | Finest creeper.<br>Sun or shade.  |
| Red<br>White<br>White<br>Pink        | June-July<br>June<br>July-Aug.<br>July to<br>Oct. | *SEMPERVIVUM<br>SHASTA DAISY, Early .<br>SHASTA DAISY. Alaska<br>*SILENE, Schafta | 1 ft.<br>15 in.<br>18-24 in.<br>4-6 in. | Interesting rock plant.<br>Sunny border.<br>Extra Icrge bloams.<br>Charming rock plant. |
| Yellow                               | July to<br>Sept.                                  | SNEEZEWORT  | 4-5 ft.                                 | Shawy background.   |
| Purplish-<br>Blue                    | AugSept.  | STATICE   | 18 in.                                  | Beautiful sprays for cutting.   |
| Blue-<br>White                       | AllSummer   | STOKESIA  | 2 ft.                                   | Lavely barder plant.  |
| Scarlet<br>Blue                      | July-Aug.<br>June ta<br>Sept.                     | TRITOMA   | 3-4 ft.<br>2 ft.                        | Brilliant effects.<br>Excellent barder plant.   |
| Blue<br>Various<br>Cream             | April-May<br>All Season                           | ∜VINCA Minor<br>∜VIOLA Cornuta<br>∜YUCCA  | 4 in.<br>5-6 in.<br>4 ft.               | Trailing plant; shade.<br>Perennial Pansy.<br>Evergreen foliage.                        |

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**SAXATILE COMPACTUM.** Masses of brilliant golden flowers in early spring on a dwarf plant; grayish green foliage. 12 inches. 20c eoch; 5 for 60c; 10 for 90c; 25 for \$1.75.

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Bright yellow Daisies, set off by handsome, finely cut foliage. Wonderfully free flowering; should be in every planting. 18 inches. 15c eoch; 5 for 35c; 10 for 60c; 25 for \$1.25.



Aquilegia—Long-Spurred Hybrids.



Bleeding Heart.

Alyssum Saxatile Compactum.

#### Aquilegia - Columbine

Flowers as lovely and graceful as you will ever find. Hardy, vigorous, long-lived plants that bloom the summer through. Flowers seem larger and finer in partial shade. We have two selected strains, as follows:

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Large, showy, bluish purple flowers in May and June on 6 to 10 inch stems. Ideal for rockery or edging. 25c eoch; 5 for 75c; 10 for \$1.20; 25 for \$2.25.

#### Asters, Fall Blooming

Brilliant, tall growing perennials for your late summer garden, bring a world of color and beauty when most other flowers are gone. Used with other perennials, or in borders by themselves, they make a grand display in September and from then on until a heavy frost stops them in late fall; in bouquets the cut blooms are superb. Plant about 18 inches apart, in a sunny location. See picture in colors on the outside back cover.

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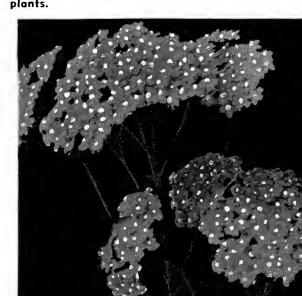
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ROYAL BLUE. Large, semi-double, clear blue.

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WHITE LADY. Best and largest white.

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Achillea Roseum.

#### Bleeding Heart, Common

(Dicentra Spectabilis)
The old favorite of grandmother's garden; deep rose-red, heart-shaped flowers clustered along drooping stems. Very hardy and thrifty. 2 feet. 30c eoch; 3 for 75c; 10 for \$2.00.

#### Bleeding Heart, Everblooming

(Dicentra Eximia)

Handsome fernlike foliage; showy clusters of pink flowers the season through. Splendid for rockery or border. 18 inches. 40c eoch; 3 for \$1.00; 10 for \$2.75.

Below: The New Dwarf Fall Asters.





### The PERENNIAL FLOWERS they bloom

Canterbury Bells.

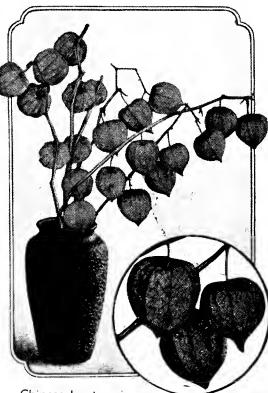
#### Digitalis -Foxglove

llandsome, stately flowers, ideal for bold effects in the border. Strong stalks, sometimes 4 and 5 feet high, are covered with large, bell-shaped florets of pink, rose and white. Likes a rather rich soil and plenty of moisture; sun-hine or shade. Biennial. Mixed assortment only. 25c each; 5 for \$1.00; 10 for \$1.50.

#### Campanula

CANTERBURY BELLS. As beautiful as its name, the plants covered with large, bell-shaped flowers in June and July. Biennial. 2 to 3 feet. Choice of Bluc, Pink or White, 25c each; 5 for 75c; 10 for \$1.20; 25 for \$2.25.

CARPATICA (Carpathian Harebell). Exquisite flowers of porcelain-blue from June to October. Perennial. Lovely in rock garden or edging the border. 9 inches. 25c each; 5 for 75c; 10 for \$1.20; 25 for \$2.25.



Chinese Lantern in Winter Bouquet.

#### Golden Glow

(Rudbeckia Laciniata)

Tall, showy, background plant, very hardy and thrifty, covered with beautiful, golden yellow balls of bloom in August 5 to 6 feet. 25c each; 5 for 75c; 10 for \$1.20.

#### Helianthemum - Sun Rose

Showy, dwarf, evergreen plants with bright colored flowers like single Roses. Splendid for the sunny rockery or dry bank. Needs

well-drained soil and full exposure to sun. 6 inches. 20c each; 5 for 60c; 10 for 90c; 25 for \$1.75.

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#### Blazing Star - Liatris

(Kansas Gay Feather)

PYCNOSTACHYA. Midsummer's glory—tall, 4ft. spikes of rich purple flowers lasting a long
time. Splendid for background or for bold
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#### Chinese Lantern - Physalis

Noted for its wealth of bright orange-scarlet, lantern-like fruits in autumn, so fine for winter bouquets. 2 feet. 15c each; 5 for 35c; 10 for 60c; 25 for \$1.25.

#### Chrysanthemums

The grandest fall flowers, unveiling their warm, rich colors after other blooms have faded warm, rich colors after other blooms have laded and gone. Strong, branching plants, sometimes as large as shrubs. They like a rich soil that is not too wet. After the blooming period, cut back the tops quite close to the ground and mulch with clean straw. Plant in spring only. Choice of red, yellow, white, brown and pink. 2 to 3 feet. 25c each; 5 for \$1.00; 10 for \$1.50.



Blazing Star.

#### Chrysanthemum, "PINK CUSHION"

This gorgeous 'mum is fairly alive with delicate pink, double blooms from August until Thanksgiving, and without question is the finest, most popular perennial flower of the present day. Plant grows about 2 feet high, forms a symmetrical mound, and produces hundreds of the glowing, colorful blooms, continuously from August on. See picture in color on the outside back cover. Order promptly to be sure of getting this lovely mum for your garden. 40c each; 3 for \$1.00; 10 for \$3.00.

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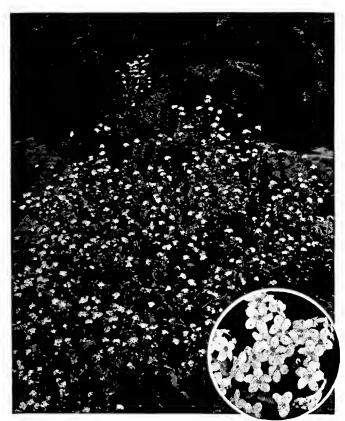
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(Below) Hybrid Delphinium.



#### Forget-Me-Not - Myosotis

Delicate tufted foliage; the many tiny flowers of blue are chcrished tenderly for their sentiment. Especially desirable for edging the pool or for clumps in the shady horder. 6 inches. 25c each; 5 for 75c; 10 for \$1.20; 25 for \$2.25.

#### Funkia, Blue

(Plantain Lily)

Bright green, waxen foliage forms a handsome mound that is so effective in the border or near the pool. Spikes of clear hlue flowers in July and August. Sun or partial shade. 18 inches. 25c eoch; 5 for 75c; 10 for \$1.20; 25

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Hardy Pinks.

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- 3 Alaska Daisy Anthemis
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Blue Funkia.

#### Gaillardia - Blanket Flower

All season long the Gaillardia is a mass of handsome blooms, shading from bright crimson to golden yellow—so showy in the garden or in bouquets. One of the finest and hardiest of all perennials, liking a sunny location. 2 feet. 15c eoch; 5 for 35c; 10 for 60c; 25 for \$1.25.

(Below) Gaillardia Grandiflora.





### The PERENNIAL FLOWERS favorites

#### Hibiscus - Mallow Marvel

Giant perennial flowers of late summer and fall, grand for hedges, backgrounds, or bold clumps in the border. Showy blooms of Holly-hock shape—red, pink, and white. 20c each; 5 for 60c; 10 for 90c; 25 for \$1.75.

#### Hollyhocks

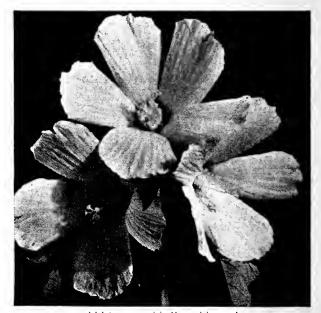
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#### Iberis Sempervirens - Candytuft

A mass of snow-white, fragrant blooms in early spring; handsome evergreen foliage. A favorite dwarf plant for rock gardens and edging. 8 inches. 25c each; 5 for 75c; 10 for \$1.20.



Hibiscus-Mallaw Marvel.

#### Lily-of-the-Valley

The very sweetest of all flowers, with its tiny, waxen flowers like miniature bells appearing in graceful fashion up and down the stems, and have exquisite fragrance. Fine for shade. 6 inches. 20c each; 5 for 60c; 10 for 90c; 25 for \$1.75.

#### Linum Perenne

(Perennial Flax)

Delicate, feathery foliage, and a shower of lovely, light blue flowers all summer long. Delightful in rock gardens or clumped in the border. 12 inches. 20c each; 5 for 60c; 10 for 90c; 25 for \$1.75.

#### Lychnis Chalcedonica - Maltese Cross

Very fine, old-fashioned perennial, whose dense heads of brick-red blooms all summer long will bring a lot of snap and cheer to your garden. 20 to 30 inches. 20c each; 5 for 60c; 10 for 90c; 25 for \$1.75.

#### Perennial Sweet Pea - Lathyrus

Throughout the season, these hardy, perennial climbers are strewn with lovely clusters of colorful flowers, so fine for cutting. Choice of red or pink. Good for covering banks, rocks, stumps or trellises. 15c each; 5 for 35c; 10 for 60c; 25 for \$1.25.

#### Phlox Subulata

(Moss or Mountain Pink)

This is the very popular Creeping Phlox that in early spring is covered with a sheet of colorful bloom. Plant in full sun. Splendid for edging, ground cover, or the rockery. Six inches. Choice of pink or lavender. 20c each; 5 for 60c; 10 for 90c; 25 for \$1.75.



Sedum Coccineum.



Perennial Sweet Peas.

#### Saponaria - Soapwort

Double Hollyhock.

A favorite rock plant, with clouds of rosy pink flowers throughout the spring. Fine for edging, too. Eight inches. 20c each; 5 for 60c; 10 for inches. 20c each; 90c; 25 for \$1.75.

#### Sempervivum

(House Leek)

The interesting, old-fashioned "Hen and Chickens"; thick, waxen leaves "chicks" snuggling close to the "mother hen." Pale red flowers. One foot. 20c each; 5 for 60c; 10 for faat. 20c each; 5 90c; 25 for \$1.75.

#### Shasta Daisy, Early

Glistening white flowers in great abundance in June. A grand sight in the garden, and especially fine for bouquets. Extremely hardy, liking a deep, rich soil. 15 inches. 15c each; 5 for 35c; 10 for 60c; 25 for \$1.25.

#### Silene Schafta - Catchfly

A lovely low plant, 4 to 6 inches high, with masses of hright pink flowers from July to October. Effective in rockery or border, 25c each; 5 for 75c; 10 for \$1.20; 25 for \$2.25.

#### "RAINBOW TINT" ROCK GARDEN COLLECTION

8 Dworf Sedum

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Linum Perenne

3 Alyssum

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Lychnis Cholcedonica.

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Platycodon - Balloon Flower

Large, handsome, bell-shaped flowers that bloom from July to September, colors blue and white. Hardy, dependable, always in bloom—they are very fine for rockery or border. 2 feet. 15c each; 5 for 35c; 10 for 50c; 25 for \$1.25.



Lupines

Long spikes of pea-shaped flowers, blue and rose in color; handsome foliage. Like a warm, sheltered location, and must be given plenty of moisture during dry weather. Striking in bold clumps in the border. 2-3 feet. 25c eoch; 5 for 75c; 10 for \$1.20; 25 for \$2.25.



Pyrethrum.

#### Purple Coneflower

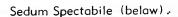
(Rudbeckia Purpurea)

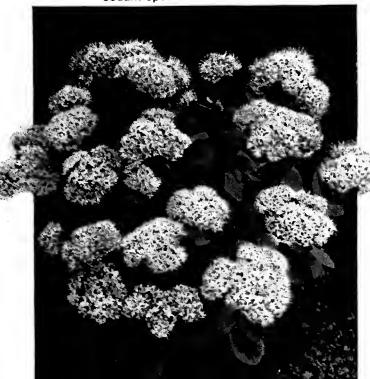
Brilliant perennial for the border, its rich purple petals surrounding a large, brown, cone-shaped center, borne on 3 ft. stems. Blooms from July to October. 20c eoch; 5 for 60c; 10 for 90c; 25 for \$1.75.

#### Scabiosa Caucasica

(Pin-Cushion Flower)

Large, showy flowers of lavender-blue from June to September, and make superb bouquets. Likes well drained soil and plenty of sunshine. 1 foot. 25c each; 5 for 75c; 10 for \$1.20; 25 for \$2.25.







#### Sedum, Dwarf

The very finest sort of plants for the rock garden, covering graves, or edging the border. Dwarf and spreading, with thick, waxy foliage. 6 inches. Choice of Album (white), Sexongulore (yellow), Spurium Coccineum, (rose-crimson), and Stoloniferum (purplish pink), 15c eoch; 5 for 35c; 10 for 60c; 25 for \$1.25.

#### Sedum, Erect

SPECTABILE. Very striking, with its broad, light green foliage, and immense heads of showy, rose-colored flowers in the fall. Splendid for either rock garden or border; sun or partial shade. 18 inches. 25c each; 5 for 75c; 10 for \$1.20; 25 for \$2.25.

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#### Pyrethrum - Painted Daisy

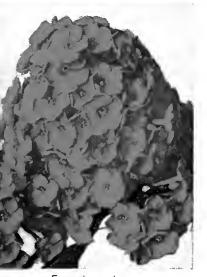
Beautiful daisies of white and shades of pink and rose; attractive fernlike foliage. Very lovely in bouquets; should be in every border. Hardy, easy to grow, liking a sunny location. 2 feet. Mixed. 20c eoch; 5 for 60c; 10 for 90c; 25 for \$1.75. Red Stroin, 25c eoch; 5 for 75c; 10 for \$1.20; 25 for \$2.25.

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The improved strain of Alaska, with extra large, gleaming white flowers. Very free flowering. 18:24 inches. 15c eoch; 5 for 35c; 10 for 60c; 25 for \$1.25.



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Caroline Mather
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These Seven Favorite Peonies. Strong bloomers, rich and colorful. (Well worth \$3.50).

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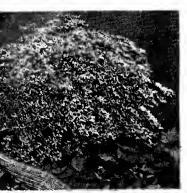
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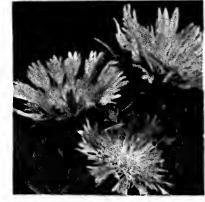


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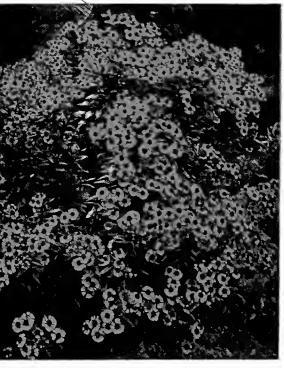


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Sneezewort-Helenium Bigelow.



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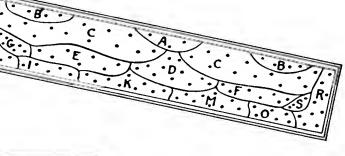




### PERENNIAL BORDER

133 of the finest perennials for border planting





| Α | 4   | Hallyhacks                   | \$      | 50.60       |
|---|-----|------------------------------|---------|-------------|
| В |     | Hibiscus, assorted           |         | .80         |
| C | 12  | Gald Medal Hybrid Delphinius | m       |             |
|   | 6   | Belladanna Delphinium        |         |             |
|   | 6   | Bellamasa Delphinium         |         |             |
| D | 12  | Gaillardia                   |         | .72         |
| Ε | 12  | Alaska Daisy                 |         | .60         |
| F | 8   | Lang-Spurred Aquilegia       |         | .96         |
| G | 6   | Lychnis                      |         | .42         |
| Н | 12  | Dianthus                     |         | 72          |
| 1 | 6   | Anthemis                     |         | .42         |
| Κ | 10  | Stakesia                     | . , , . | 1.00        |
| Μ | 10  | Pyrethrum                    |         | .60         |
| 0 | 6   | Gypsaphila                   |         | .48         |
| R | 10  | Platycadan                   |         | .6 <b>0</b> |
| S | 5   | Tritama                      |         | .60         |
| • | 133 | Plants Tat                   | al, \$1 | 11.16       |

FERRIS SPECIAL BARGAIN PRICE POSTPAID

# Plantings would be the "Calk of the Cown"



## Sneezewort

(Helenium Bigelow)

Showy summer and fall blooms that last a very long time, and are so fine for cutting. Quick growing, branching plants are a mass of deep yellow Daisies with brown centers; ideal for the background or bold effects in the border. 4 to 5 feet. 25c each; 5 for 75c; 10 for \$1.20; 25 for \$2.25.

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## Tritoma - Red Hot Poker

Brilliant, semi-tropical plant, with rushlike foliage and long, 3-4 ft. spikes topped with fiery cones of orange-scarlet that are goregous in bouquets. Plant in good, well-drained soil in a sunny location, mulching heavily through the winter. 20c.each; 5 for 60c; 10 for 90c.

## Veronica Longifolia

(Speedwell)

Famous for their royal blue spikes that make such a showy display in the garden from June to September. Favorite for rock garden or border; blooms fine for cutting. 2 to 3 feet. 20c each; 5 for 60c; 10 for 90c; 25 for \$1.75.

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(Trailing Myrtle)

Hardy, ground cover plant, splendid for edging the evergreen group or shrubbery planting, for covering graves or under shady trees. Glossy, bluegreen foliage, and dark blue flowers in the spring. 6 to 8 inches. 25c each; 5 for 75c; 10 for \$1.20; 25 for \$2.25.

## Viola Cornuta - Tufted Pansy

Finest edging plant or rockery filler; from early spring until late fall it is a continuous mass of beautiful, Pansy-like blossoms. Shear several times during the season so that the flowers do not go to seed. 5 to 6 inches.

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Broad, swordlike, evergreen foliage, with tall, branched spikes of fragrant, creamy white flowers. Especially effective for bold clumps in shrubbery or perennial borders. 4 feet. 15c each; 5 for 35c; 10 for 60c; 25 for \$1.25.

## LIST OF PLANTS

included in the offer below

| Α  | 8        | Iris (2 each Vialacea Grandiflara,<br>Nibelungen, Seminale, and Mad-<br>ame Chereau)\$1.10    |
|----|----------|---|
| в{ | 12<br>12 | Double Aquilegia  |
| C  | 12       |   |
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| F  | 9        | Linum Perenne   |
| G  | 4        | Peanies (1 each Chas. McKellip,<br>Sarah Bernhardt, Luetta Pfeiffer,<br>Caraline Mather) 1.75 |
| Η  | 8        | Gaillardia  |
| ļ  | 12       | Tara medar myana barpinnan  |
| j  | 4        | Regal Lilies  |
| K  | 10       | Pyrethrum (5 Mixed, 5 Red) 1.35   |
| L  | 10       | Dwarf Sedum, Mixed60  |
| Μ  | 10       | Díanthus  |
| Ν  | 6        | Sneezewart  |
| 0  | 6        | Careapsis   |
| Ρ  | 6        | Stakesia  |
| Q  | 8        | ,   |
| R  |          | Phlax (2 each Apallo, Dr. Chas.<br>Maya, Sunrise, and Feuerbrand) . <b>1.50</b>               |
| S  | 10       | Shasta Daísy  |
| T  | 8        | Sapanaria   |
| U  | 4        | Gypsaphila  |
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## Our "MAGNIFICENT" Border Offer Every home needs the graceful, colorful, fragrant charm of Perennial Flowers, and here is a superb collection that will fit in perfectly wherever used. There will be loads of bloom the season through—so lovely in house bouquets-the border itself a most compelling picture. (If desired by Parcel Post, add 40c extra).

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**Perennial Plants** 

to build a 40 foot long border like this —

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Purple Oueen.

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(Below)

Nibelungen.

"The Flower for the Millions." So hardy, so utterly easy to grow, and so lovely in every sense of the word—lasting a lifetime. They find perfect setting in the perennial border, along the driveway or walk, or edging the pool. They like good, well drained soil and a sunny location; plant about 12 or 18 inches apart, barely covering the roots with soil.

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AUTUMN KING. Brilliant blue-purple Iris that blooms freely in the spring and again in the fall. 25c eoch; 3 for 50c.

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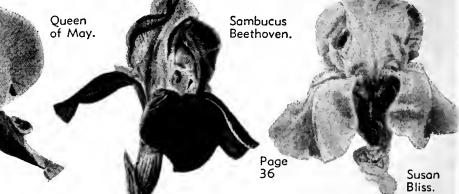
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TIGER LILY. Fine, old-fashioned Lily that makes a brilliant display in the garden during August and September when covered with showy, orangered flowers spotted with purple. Hardy everywhere; a splendid Lily for

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4 Regal Lilies
2 Henryi Lilies
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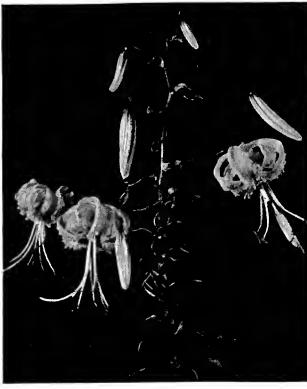
DOUBLE TIGER LILY. Richly colored blooms like the single Tiger Lily but double clear to the center. Hardy and desirable. Select, blooming size bulbs, 25c eoch; 5 for 90c; 10 for \$1.60.

UMBELLATUM LILY. A glory of color in June when the bushy, erect plant is a mass of large, flashing, orangered blooms. One of the easiest Lilies to grow and one of the most beautiful. Fine, blooming size bulbs, 25c each; 5 for 80c; 10 for \$1.45.

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Lemon Lily.



Lilium Henryi.



(Above) Umbellatum Lily (Below) Regal Lilies.





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The All-American Flower—beloved by everyone.

For cut flowers in the home, or stately, colorful spikes in the garden, the Gladiolus is supreme. Plant the bulbs 4 to 6 inches deep in good growing soil, keeping the bed free from weeds. You will have blooms all summer long if you plant the bulbs in 10-day intervals. Remove the bulbs from the ground in the fall before freezing weather, clean and dry them, and store in a cool, dry cellar.

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THESE 50 MAGNIFICENT GLADS—Large, blooming bulbs (well worth \$4.00).

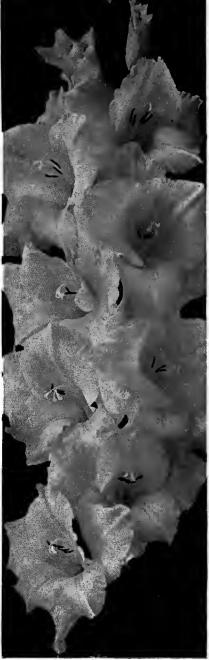
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## Our "BLUE RIBBON" Glads

| The "Sweepstakes Class"—The Prize Winners at Flowe              | r Sho | ws     |        |
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| Finest Garden Sorts. F  | ach   | 10     | 25     |
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Plant in a box, wooden pail or tub, using one-fourth well-rotted manufactor to three-fourths garden loam. Cover the roots carefully,

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Plonts are
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MARLIAC WHITE.
stamens; fragrant.
Continuous bloomer. \$1.00 each.
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Exquisite blending of colors makes this a very popular sort; cupshaped blooms open yellow with flesh tints, deepening on succeeding days to orange and coppered. \$1.25 each.

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Enormous, double blooms of a satiny rose-pink, with deep orange stamens; fragrant.
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OTHER SELECTED POOL PLANTS

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PARROT FEATHER (Myriophyllum). Long, trailing stems and whorls of feathery, bright green foliage. Beautiful edging plant. Plant at the edge in very shallow water, as soon as received. 22c each.

each.

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WATER HYACINTHS. Delicate spikes of orchidtipped flowers are beautiful and interesting. The plants float on the water, but will produce more flowers and foliage when their root-tips can reach soil near the water's edge. Excellent for the spawn of goldfish. 20c each; 4 for 55c.

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## "Glory" Water-Lily Collection

Chromatella

1 Chromatella
1 Escarboucle
1 Marliac White
1 Somptuosa
THESE FOUR EXTRA
HARDY, EVERBLOOMING
WATER LILIES—of superb colors. (Regular catalog price \$5.70).

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With a lifetime experience as Evergreen Specialists, we are anxious to help you in making your evergreen planting a complcte success. Good trees and plants are, naturally, the first step towards success. For 67 years we have been diligently building our reputation of "Quality Nursery Stock"—producing strong, sturdy, heavy root systems, and ultimately the healthiest and most vigorous stock that can be grown. It is this kind of trees and plants that we send to our customers, and in addition we pack them right. Start a successful planting by purchasing our high quality stock, properly handled.

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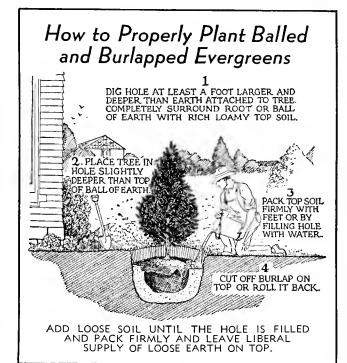
is essential, also. We have spent considerable study and expense on the best packing methods ever since we started in the business, and give our customers the most expert packing service on their orders. We have shipped into every section of the United States for many years, with remarkable success, for Ferris trees and plants are packed so that they reach our customers in as good condition as they came from the nursery row.

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IMPORTANT RULES WE URGE YOU TO FOLLOW

- 1. Examine the trees at express, freight or truck office, and call any damage to the attention of the agent at once, as all trees will be in perfect condition when they leave the nursery.
- 2. Have your ground ready for planting by the time the trees arrive. It should be good growing soil such as you would use for a corn crop or garden, and prepared in much the same manner. Never plant on new sod. If there is sod where you wish to plant, strip the sod for a width of 6 feet the length of the row, or a space 4 by 4 feet may be stripped and a tree planted in the center of each space. Thoroughly work and pulverize the soil from which the sod has been stripped.

## B & B BALLED AND BURLAPPED WHAT IT MEANS

By Balling and Burlapping, we mean that as the tree is dug a solid ball of rich, heavy loam, in which the tree has been growing for years, comes up around the root system completely protecting it in every way, and this ball of solid earth is firmed and held in place by a secure covering of burlap and heavy twine. Our ground here at the nursery is the finest in the world for Balling Evergreens.

Then, when you place these Balled-and-Burlapped trees on your grounds, following closely the directions we give for them on page 39, these roots keep right on growing in this good rich soil that has nurtured them for years, little by little extending into the new surrounding soil. Is it any wonder that Ferris' Balled-and-Burlapped Evergreens are easier to grow?

It is not advisable to Ball-and-Burlap secdling evergreens, small sized ornamentals, or windbreak trees. In the windbreak row, evergreens can be cultivated much better than in an ornamental planting.

- Always plant as soon as the trees reach you. Do not expose the roots to the air. When you have everything ready to plant, unpack the shipment, putting the roots of each tree into a thick mud puddle, so that as much of this thick substance as possible will cling to
- 4. Plant deeply and firmly, spreading the roots out in their natural positions, and press the soil around each tiny root with all of your might. Evergreens should be planted from 2 to 6 inches deeper than they were in the nursery row, depending on the size of the tree. At the top of the ground leave a little loose soil to prevent the ground from baking.
- 5. Start cultivation at once; cultivate well and often during the growing season. This should be done for the first 2 years. Evergreens will not thrive or give best results in a weed patch. If you cannot cultivate, give them a very heavy mulching of well-rotted straw or old sawdust as soon as your trees are planted.
- 9. For Balled and Burlapped Evergreens. Dig a hole about twice the size of your ball, and plant the tree at once. If the ground is dry at planting time, fill the hole with water, and let it soak away before putting in the tree. Take care to handle the tree carefully so as not to break the ball, place it in the hole so that the tree will be a few inches deeper than it had been in the nursery, then cut the burlap at the top of the ball, rolling it back for 3 on 4 inches. Plant ball, burlap and all, using good growing soil to pack around the ball, and be sure to pack this soil firmly. The drawing on this page shows each step in planting Balled Evergreens.
- 10. Far Seedlings and Small Transplanted Evergreens. This applies to seedlings and once transplanted grades. Plant them in a garden spot or in beds for the first two years, and care for them as you would cabbage plants.
- 6. A judicious trimming is also beneficial to transplanted Evergreens. Trim about one-fourth of the foliage from your trees as you plant them. This may cause them to appear a trifle slim for a year or two, but they will be all the better for it in the end. In trimming Evergreens, do not cut off the terminal bud on the leader (tip), but trim back other branches about one-fourth.
- Regardless of locality, see to it that your young grove is securely fenced when planted. Nothing is more injurious to young Evergreens than livestock in the yard to trample them down.
- 8. If you are having dry weather at planting time, you should water your Evergreens thoroughly about every other evening until you get a soaking rain. Do this through all dry spells for the first year or two. This is especially necessary in foundation plantings of ornamental Evergreens, where the trees get a strong reflection from the sun and the ground dries out more readily.

### Correct Distance to Plant Evergreens for Windbreaks

Windbreaks

The distance apart that Evergreens should be planted depends very much on the number of rows used. We advise 8 feet apart in a single row, 10 feet apart each way in two rows, 14 feet apart each way in two rows, 14 feet apart each way in the erows; but the ideal wind break is a force or five-row windbreak, planted 11 and apart in the row and 15 rows 20 had apart in the row and 15 rows 20 had apart in the rows con be used for postatoes cere, or also yet table. potatoes table.



# The BLUE SPRUCES



Colorodo Blue

Spruce Shiner, growing on our nursery grounds.

Extra

Blue Color

Our Glorious

## COLORADO BLUE SPRUCE SHINERS ~

The best loved of all evergreens

The tree that everyone longs for—with its wonderful covering of silvery blue, and its superb form—graceful branches cascading in even layers from a broad base to a tapering crown. These are the "EXTRA BLUE" trees that we marked in the nursery during the summer when they displayed a fine silver luster. Every year they become more beautiful, more

It is the landscape favorite, ideally used as a single specimen on the lawn or in groups. An evergreen that combines complete hardiness with charm and beauty; adaptable to nearly all climates. 40 to 60 feet at maturity. Our SHINERS are all Extra Select Specimens.

| PRICES  |         |         |
|---|---------|---------|
|   | Each    | 2 Trees |
| 18-24 in., extra heavy, select Spec. XXX, B&B | \$ 4.00 | \$ 7.00 |
| 2-2½ ft., extra heavy, select Spec. XXXX, B&B | 5.00    | 9.00    |
| 2½-3 ft., extra heavy, select Spec. XXXX, B&B | 7.00    | 12.50   |
| 3-4 ft., extra heavy, select Spec. XXXX, B&B  | . 9.00  | 16.50   |
| 4-5 ft., extra heavy, select Spec. XXXXX, B&B | . 12.00 | 22.00   |
| 5-6 ft., extra heavy, select Spec. XXXXX, B&B | 18.00   | 34.00   |
| 6-8 ft., extra heavy, select Spec. XXXXX, B&B | 20.00   | 37.00   |

## **COLORADO BLUE SPRUCE**

Lovely in form and color

—it adds distinction to the home landscape

A tree developing unusual form—a broad even pyramid, thickly studded with graceful branches clear to the ground, covered with heavy, lustrous foliage of varying tones—deep green, sometimes touched with silver, with now and then a decided blue tinge. Magnificent in character, full of vigor and hardiness like the Rocky Mountains from whence it originated, and it is a grand evergreen for the home grounds, either used singly or in groups.

The following Colorado Spruce are not guaranteed as to color. but many of them, especially those in the smaller sizes, will develop into very fine blue specimens if given time, good care and patience. 40-60 feet at maturity.

| 1 11/420                               | Each    | 10      | 100     |
|--|---------|---------|---------|
| 8-12 in., well branched, XX            | .\$0.30 | \$2.50  | \$18.00 |
| 12-18 in., well branched, XX           |         |         |         |
| (If any of the 8-18 in light transplan | ts are  | desired | hv      |

parcel past, add 20c extra far 10 trees ar less, add 40c extra far 50 trees, ar 75c extra far 100 trees).

Note.—These transplants were all grawn fram seed taken from select Blue Shiners, but da nat shaw blue ta any extent when sa yaung—nat until they reach a height of 18-24 inches.

| Eac   | :h 2       | 10      |
|---|------------|---------|
| 18-24 in. heavy Specimens, XXX                    | 5 \$ 3.20  | \$15.00 |
| 2-3 ft. heavy Specimens, XXXX 2.0                 | 3.60       | 17.50   |
| 3-4 ft. heavy Specimens, XXXX 2.5                 | 0 4.50     | 22.00   |
| 4-5 ft, heavy Specimens, XXXX 4.0                 | 7.00       | 30.00   |
| 5-6 ft. heavy Specimens, XXXXX 5.0                | 9.40       | 45.00   |
| 6-8 ft. heavy Specimens, XXXXX 8.0                | 0 15.00    | 66.00   |
| (If desired Balled and Burlapped, add 50c per tro | ee extra). |         |

Picea

Picea

pungens

glauca

pungens

## **KOSTER'S BLUE SPRUCE**

(Picea pungens glauca Kosteri)

Blue as the skies royal beauty

A grafted form of the Colorado Blue Spruce; color is a deeper, more glistening, even more perfect hlue than that of the Shiners; foliage heavier and a trifle longer. It develops the same handsome, regal form. though is more open in growth, especially when small. The aristocrat of all evergreens. Thirty-five to forty feet at maturity.

|         |            | PRILE     | <br>  |
|---------|------------|-----------|-------|
|         |            |           | Each  |
| 2-3 ft. | Specimens. | XXXX. B&B |       |
| 3-4 ft  | Specimens  | XXXX BGB  | 12.50 |

NOTE.—We have specialized in Blue Spruce for years, and this seasan have a little the finest specimen Colarada Blue Spruce Shiners and Koster's Blue Spruce that we have ever affered. They are the anly trees in the nursery that we ball and burlap without extra





White

Spruce.

Lovely, Matched Specimens

and Burlapped.

5-6 ft. High, Balled

# Extra Hardy WHITE SPRUCE And Andrew Andrew

Norwoy Spruce.

(Picea canadensis alba)

We grow the northern type of White Spruce that is so much hardier and finer in every way than the southern type. The broad, compact pyramid it forms is densely covered with short, stiff needles of light shimmering green, sometimes almost blue. It grows rapidly, maturing at 50 to 70 feet, and is hardy anywhere. For windbreak planting, Ferris' White Spruce are great favorites—so hardy, fine looking, and well branched to the ground. In landscaping they are extremely useful in all phases—backgrounds, groups, single specimens and hedges—they always lend grace and cheer. Note the special low prices we are offering on selected trees. (You will find special Windbreak and Hedge grades on page 43.

A tree of fine form splendid for landscaping and windbreaks

|     |       |         |            |                     | Each             | 2      | 10      |
|-----|-------|---------|------------|---------------------|------------------|--------|---------|
| 2-3 | ft.   | Select  | Specimens, | xxxx                | \$0.65           | \$1.25 | \$ 6.00 |
| 3-4 | ft.   | Select  | Specimens, | xxxx                |                  | 1.45   | 7.00    |
| 4-5 | ft.   | Select  | Specimens, | xxxxx               | 1.50             | 2.65   | 12.00   |
| 5-6 | ft.   | Select  | Specimens, | XXXXX               | 2.25             | 3.75   |         |
| 6-8 | ft.   | Select  | Specimens, | xxxxx               | 3.25             | 6.00   |         |
|     | (If c | desired | Balled and | urlapped, add 50c p | per tree extra). |        |         |

# Norway Spruce

(Picea excelsa)

For many years Ferris' Norway Spruce have been extremely popular in windbreak plantings, in hedges, background groups, and as living Christmas Trees on the lawn Naturally it develops a compact fine looking pyramid, branching to the ground, its thick branches covered with short, stiff needles of deep green. Hardy, and well adapted to almost any good growing soil; the most rapid growing of all the Spruces. Eighty to one hundred feet at maturity. hedges they can be trimmed to any height.
(For Windbreak and Hedge grades, see page 43).

ornamental planting

windbreaks

old-time

favorite

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and

|   |     |      |         |             |           |         | Eacn   | 4      | 10      |
|---|-----|------|---------|-------------|-----------|---------|--------|--------|---------|
| 1 | 2-3 | ft.  | Select  | Specimens,  | XXXX .    |         | 0.65   | \$1.25 | \$ 6.00 |
| - | 3-4 | ft.  | Select  | Specimens,  | XXXX .    |         | .75    | 1.45   |         |
|   |     |      |         | Specimens,  |           |         |        |        | 12.00   |
|   |     |      |         | Specimens,  |           |         |        | 4.30   |         |
|   |     |      |         | Specimens,  |           |         |        | 7.00   |         |
| 1 |     |      |         | t Specimens |           |         |        |        |         |
|   | (   | lf d | lesired | Balled and  | Burlapped | , add 5 | Oc per | tree ( | extra). |

# RiackHills Spruce

|                                     | Edcii             | 10                   | 100         |
|-------------------------------------|-------------------|----------------------|-------------|
| 6-8 in., well branched              | \$0.15            | \$1.00               | \$ 9.50     |
| 8-12 in., well branch-<br>ed, XX    | .25               |                      |             |
| ed, XX<br>(If any af the            | .40               | 3.50                 | 25.00       |
| plants are desired add 20c extra in | d by p<br>lats at | arcel po<br>f ten tr | ost,<br>ees |
| ar less, add 40c e                  |                   |                      | es,         |

|                | Select Specimens |         |  |  |  |
|----------------|------------------|---------|--|--|--|
|                | Each             | Two     |  |  |  |
| 2-3 ft., XXXX  | \$ 1.50          | \$ 2.60 |  |  |  |
| 3-4 ft., XXXX  | . 2.50           | 4.50    |  |  |  |
| 4-5 ft., XXXX  | 3.00             | 5.50    |  |  |  |
| 5-6 ft., XXXXX | K. 5.00          | , 9.00  |  |  |  |
| 7-8 ft., XXXXX | <. 12.00         | 22.00   |  |  |  |

Always a little beauty, with its heavy, thick foliage and its perfect symmetry. Color is a rich, glaucous green, some-times intense blue. Extremely hardy, easy to establish, ma-turing at 35 to 40 feet. A great favorite for single spec-imen planting on the lawn

> Famedfor its shapeliness

Spruce.

Black Hills

# Living JERRIS' CHRÍSTMAS TREE Group

Norway Spruce Specimen, 5-6 ft., B&B...\$ 3.00 White Spruce Specimen, 5-6 ft., B&B... 2.75 Black Hills Spruce Spec., 5-6 ft., B&B... 5.50

SPECIAL >

Just imagine this lovely group on your lown A beoutiful sight the year oround.



# EVERGREEN (D) INDBREAKS



## **DOUGLAS FIR**

(Pseudotsuga Douglasi)

It develops the very finest windbreaks and hedges

| See full description, illustration, and prices of select specimens on | nec    | rges     |
|---|--------|----------|
| page 44.  | 100    | 1000     |
| 4-8 in seedlings  | \$3.50 | \$30.00  |
| (If the seedlings are desired by parcel post, and 10c per 10          | υ,     |          |
|   | 10     | 100      |
| 12-18 in., well branched, XX\$0.25 \$                                 | 2.00   | \$12.00  |
| 18-24 in., well branched, XX  | 3.00   | 20.00    |
| (If any of the 12-24 in. transplants are desired by parcel )          |        |          |
| extra in lots af 10 trees or less, add 40c extra for 50 trees,        | ar 7:  | 5c extra |
|   | 10     | 100      |
| 2-21/2 ft. heavy windbreak trees, XXXX\$0.60                          | 5.00   | \$45.00  |
| 2½-3 ft. heavy windbreak trees, XXXX                                  | 7.00   | 60.00    |
| 3-4 ft. heavy windbreak trees, XXXX                                   | 8.00   | 75.00    |
|   |        |          |

## **NORWAY SPRUCE**

See full description, illustration, and prices of our specimen Norway Spruce on page 42.

For years it was the leading evergreen for shelterbelts

| 100   | 1000    |
|---|---------|
| 4-yr. seedlings, 8-12 in. average                               | \$32.00 |
| 4-yr. seedlings, 12-15 in. average 6.00                         | 50.00   |
| (If the seedlings are desired by parcel post, add 15c per 100). | •       |
| Each 10   | 100     |
| 18-24 in. light grade, XX\$0.30 \$2.50                          | \$16.00 |
| 2-3 ft. extra heavy windbreak trees, XXXX                       | 30.00   |
| 3-4 ft. extra heavy windbreak trees, XXXX                       | 45.00   |
| 4-5 ft. extra heavy windbreak trees, XXXX                       |         |
| T-J II. EXITO HEGVY WINDDIECK HEES, XXXX80 /.30                 | 60.00   |

## WHITE SPRUCE

Complete description, illustration, and prices of our specimen White Spruce you will find on page 42.

Very hardy and fine looking in windbreaks and hedges

| 100  | 1000     |
|--|----------|
| 4-yr. seedlings, 6-12 in. average\$4.00                            | \$35.00  |
| (If the seedlings are desired by parcel past, add 15c per 100).    | •        |
| Each 10  | 100      |
| 8-14 in. light transplants, XX                                     | \$10.00  |
| (If the 8-14 in. transplants are desired by parcel post, add 15c   | extra in |
| lats at 10 trees ar less, add 25c extra far 50 trees, ar 40c extra | far 100  |
| trees). Each 10  | 100      |
| 2-3 ft. extra heavy windbreak trees, XXXX\$0.50 \$4.00             | \$35.00  |
| 3-4 ft. extra heavy windbreak trees, XXXX                          | 45.00    |
| 4-5 ft. extra heavy windbreak trees                                | 50.00    |
| •  |          |

## RED PINE (Pinus resinosa)

## **SCOTCH PINE**

See Scotch Pine in select specimen grades for ornamental planting on page 45

Staunch and hardy a favorite for quick windbreaks

| 100 4-6 in. seedlings\$4.00 (If the seedlings are desired by parcel post add 10c per 100). | 1000<br>\$35.00                  |
|--|----------------------------------|
| Each 10  | 100<br>\$12.50<br>35.00<br>50.00 |

## WHITE PINE (Pinus strobus)

The "King of the Pines" it has been called. Planted alone it will develop a tall, majestic, graceful specimen. Needles are long, soft, and of a light silvery green. It grows rapidly, is hardy, and makes a fine looking as well as secure screen or shelterbelt. Seventy-five to one hundred twenty feet at maturity.

On account of the Federal Quarantine, White Pine cannot be shipped into Arizona, California, Colorado, Nevada, New Mexico, Utah and Wyoming.

| 3-vr. seedlings, 6-10 in, gverage | \$5.00 | \$40.00 |
|-----------------------------------|--------|---------|
| 3-yr. seedlings, 6-10 in. average | 00).   | 100     |
| 5-ft. average, XXXX               |        |         |

## JACK PINE (Pinus banksiana)

The most rapid grower of all the evergreens, and does well in almost any soil. Needles moderately long and stiff, and of a light, yellowish green. Useful as a quick, rough windbreak tree and in poor soils, but is not desirable for landscape work.

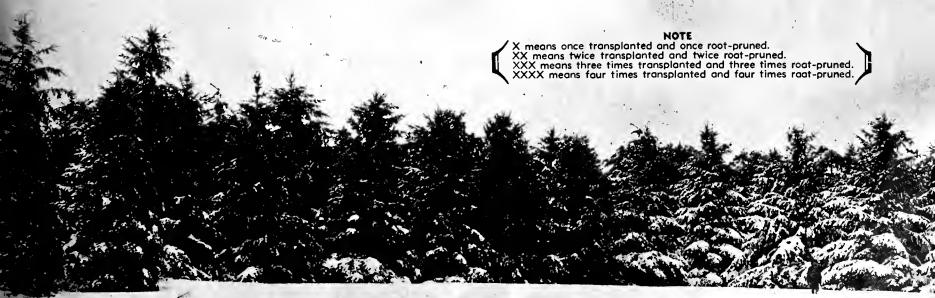
| 2-yr. seedlings, 4-6 in. average | .\$3.00      | 1000<br>\$25.00 |
|----------------------------------|--------------|-----------------|
| 12-18 in., light grade, X        | 10<br>\$1.50 | 100<br>\$10.00  |
| 3-4 ft., heavy, XXX              | 4.00         | 35.00           |

## **PONDEROSA PINE**

See full description, illustration and prices of our fine specimens on page 45:

Extra long, thick needles splendid protection in windbreaks

|                                   |        | 10     |         |
|-----------------------------------|--------|--------|---------|
| 1 ft., light grade, X             | \$0.20 | \$1.50 | \$10.00 |
| 2-3 ft heavy windbreak trees, XXX |        | 4.00   | 30.00   |

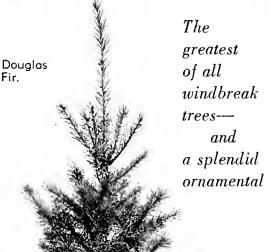


This is a Spruce Windbreak across the street north of our nursery. Windbreak Evergreens differ from specimens in that they are grawn thick in the row and consequently are not as campact and symmetrical. While they make wonderful windbreaks, they shauld not be used for specimen planting.

# SERRIS THE HARDY FIRS—Evergreen Masterpieces for the Lawn

# OUR FAMOUS OUR FAMOUS FIRE

(Pseudotsuga Douglasi)



A tree of superlative qualities—supremely hardy and healthy, entirely immune from red spider, drought resisting probably the longest lived of all evergreens, and then handsome as well. It grows quickly and compactly, the graceful branches thickly cloaked in deep green, lustrous foliage. An ideal tree to use in group plantings where space is somewhat limited, as it develops a lofty, graceful pyramid, becoming more beautiful with each year's growth. For windbreaks, its popularity has grown by leaps and bounds, and it is also an ideal evergreen for hedges, backgrounds and lawn groups. You will never be disappointed in our Douglas Fir.

We grow our Douglas Fir from northern Colorado seed of the very finest, hardiest strain, developing a more compact, symmetrical tree than the southern type offered by most

growers, which is of doubtful hardiness.
We cannot say too much for the beauty,
superb vitality and usefulness of Ferris' select Douglas Fir. Sixty to

eighty feet at maturity.

(Windbreak and Hedge grades listed on page 43).

# Balled and Burlapped.

Specimens,

A Handsome,

Matched Pair of Our 3-4 ft.

Special

**DOUGLAS** 

| PRICES   |  |                                    |                         |
|--|--|------------------------------------|-------------------------|
| 2½-3 ft. Select Specimens, XXXX 3-4 ft. Select Specimens, XXXX 4-5 ft. Select Specimens, XXXX 5-6 ft. Select Specimens, XXXXX (If desired Balled and Burlapped, add 50c per tree | Each<br>\$1.00<br>1.50<br>2.00<br>3.50 | \$ 9.00<br>12.00<br>17.50<br>30.00 | 100<br>\$75.00<br>90.00 |
|  |  |                                    |                         |

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A Ourado rado most Fir."
magnificent in co

lawn

tree

Out of the Rocky Mountains of Colo rado has come this grand, hardy "Silver Fir." The long, graceful needles are extremely thick on the branches, varying in color from light green to gray-blue; they give the tree a beautiful, soft, full appearance, and a radiant color effect.

Rapid grower, perfectly hardy, so easy to transplant, and entirely free of any insect troubles. It never loses its lower branches and grows more compact and shapely each season, often reaching a height of 60 to 80 feet. The perfect lawn specimen; wonderful in groups or screens. Our Concolor Fir this year are the finest we have ever produced—beauties that will give complete satisfaction.

| • •  | Each          | 2        | 10      |
|--|---------------|----------|---------|
| 2-3 ft. Select Spec XXXX                                     | \$2.00        | \$3.30   | \$15.00 |
| XXXX   | . 3.00        | 5.40 .   | 25.00   |
| 4-5 ft. Select Spec  | 3.50          | 6.40     | 30.00   |
| 5-6 ft. Extra Selection Spec., XXXXX 6-8 ft. Extra Selection | . 4.50        | 8.40     | 40.00   |
| Spec., XXXXX .  (If desired lapped, add                      | . <b>6.00</b> | and bur- | •       |

OUR
TWIN-FIT
COLLECTION

1 Douglos Fir Specimen, 3-4 ft., B&B . . . . . \$2.00

Concolor Fir Specimen, 3-4 ft., B&B . . . . 3.50

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SPECIAL FRICE

2 CONCOLOR FIRS

Matched Beauties, Balled and Burlapped.

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# The STURDY but decorative PINES

Ponderosa

Pine.

# Scotch Pine (Pinus sylvestris)

Scotch Pine—when young it is a stocky, bushy, rounded tree densely covered with blue-green needles of medium length-in older, mature years it has a delightful irregularity of outline that is so picturesque on the landscape. The Scotch Pine has always been a popular windbreak evergreen on account of its rapid growth, its hardiness, and the fact that it does well in almost any soil. Use our choice specimens for fine landscaping; they will certainly please For reforestation, the Scotch Pine is one of the best. Thirty-five to fifty feet at maturity. (Note our special Windbreak grades on page 43).

Sturdy as a Scot—fine for quick windbreaks

A decorative landscape tree

|                    |       | Each   | 2        | 10      |
|--------------------|-------|--------|----------|---------|
| 2-3 ft. Specimens, | XXX   | \$0.60 | \$ 1.10  | \$ 5.00 |
| 3-4 ft. Specimens, | XXXX  |        | 1.25     | 6.00    |
| 4-5 ft. Specimens, |       |        | 2.50     | 12.00   |
| 5-6 ft. Specimens, |       |        | 5.00     | 20.00   |
| 6-8 ft. Specimens, | XXXXX | 4.50   | 8.00     |         |
| 8-10 ft. Specimens |       |        | 11.00    |         |
| (If desired Balle  |       |        | per tree | extra). |

(Pinus nigra)

The Austrian or Black Pine is very closely reted to the Ponderosa Pine, with extra long needles of rich green, great spreading branches, but a trifle more upright reaching in habit. A favorite for ornamental planting, either in the backvorite for ornamental planting, either in the background or as a choice specimen on the lawn, and
is valuable for quick screens or windbreaks around
exposed places. 90 to 100 feet at maturity.

Each 2 10
4-5 ft. heavy, XXXX ...\$1.50 \$2.70 \$12.50
6-8 ft. heavy, XXXXX ...\$5.00 9.00

(If desired Balled and Burlapped, add 50c per

The dark sombre pine of the mountains of which the poets write

montana mughus)

Dense, low,

a little

beauty Popularin the

border

The picturesque Dwarf Pine that forms a bushy, compact ball, growing as broad as it does tall, never reaching over 4 feet high, and can be kept trimmed back if desired. The long, stiff needles are very numerous, and of dark, rich green the year through. In the spring the new growth looks like a multitude of tiny candles over the tree. Very hardy. One of the most satisfactory evergreens for the foreground and foundation.

4x6 in., bushy transplants, XX ..........\$0.25 \$2.00 (If the 4x6 in. transplants are desired by parcel post, add 5c each).

| Each                           | 2      | 10      |
|--------------------------------|--------|---------|
| 12x18 in, heavy,<br>XXX\$1.25  | \$2.20 | \$10.00 |
| 18x22 in. Spec., XXXX 1.75     | 3.20   | 15.00   |
| 2x2 ft. Spec.,<br>XXXX 2.50    | 4.40   | 20.00   |
| (If desired Balled             |        |         |
| Burlapped, add 50c per extra). | tree   |         |

Mugho Pine

**B&B** means **Balled** and Burlapped.

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# Ponderosa Pine

(Pinus

"A Mighty Man is He"

Famed for its extra long needles 2-3 ft. Specimens, XXXX ....\$0.75 4-5 ft. Specimens, XXXX .... 1.50 5-6 ft. Specimens, XXXX .... 1.80 6-8 ft. Specimens, XXXX .... 5.00 8-10 ft. Specimens, XXXXX .... 6.50 (If desired Balled and Burlapped, add 50c per tree

In the Ponderosa Pine you will find the beauty of strength and massiveness-a tree that is invaluable for solid backgrounds or enormous, spreading specimens. With needles longer than you will find on any other Pine, extraordinarily thick, and of a rich, deep green, you can readily distinguish it from other varieties. Ninety to one hundred twenty feet at maturity. It is absolutely hardy, rapid in growth, and gives the finest protection in windbreaks. Our specimens will work wonders on your landscape. giving particularly fine effects in group ings of Spruce and Fir.

(Special Windbreak and Screen grades are listed at bargain prices on page 43).

Scotch

Pine.

1 Scotch Pine Specimen, 4-5 ft., B&B . . . . . Ponderosa Pine Specimen, 4-5 ft., B&B ......

Dwarf Mugho Pine Spec., 18x24 in., B&B

PRICE, ONLY

## Pyramidal Arbor-Vitae

(Thuya occidentalis pyramidalis)

Radiant spires for the landscape

Pyramidal Pyramidal

Arbar-Vitae.

What beauties they are—classic, slender, pointed trees thickly covered with lacy, bright green foliage, never growing too tall or bushy. At the entrance or in the foundation planting, they lend rich color the year through; in the garden they give a delightful formal touch.

Our trees have been propagated from an extra select type; the foliage is close and compact, and a bright, healthy green color. They naturally develop a shapely pyramid without shearing, seldom measuring over 2 or 3 feet in diameter at the base, with a matured height of 12 to 15 feet, but can easily be kept clipped back to any desired height.

|  | Each     |        | 10     |
|--|----------|--------|--------|
| 18-24 in., light Specimens, XX             | \$0.80   | \$1.50 | \$6.50 |
| 2-3 ft., light Specimens, XXX              |          |        |        |
| 3-4 ft., extra heavy, Select Spec., XXXX . |          | 5.00   |        |
| 4-5 ft., extra heavy, Select Spec., XXXXX  |          | 6.00   |        |
| (If desired Balled and Burlapped, add 50a  | per tree | extra) |        |

## American Arbor-Vitae

(Thuya occidentalis) Since early American his-

A favorite lawn groups

tory, this beautiful evergreen for hedge has been in great favor—used largely for backgrounds in and landscape groups, for screens, trimmed hedges, and single lawn specimens. The flat, handsomely carved foliage of

deep green covers the tree like a mantle. When untrimmed, it forms a graceful, compact pyramid, 35 to 50 feet at maturity. Shears readily to any height or shape desired. Prefers a moist location,

|   | CFS      |        |         |
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| 7   | Each     | 10     | 100     |
| 18-24 in., light Speci                                  | . \$0.40 | \$3.50 | \$30.00 |
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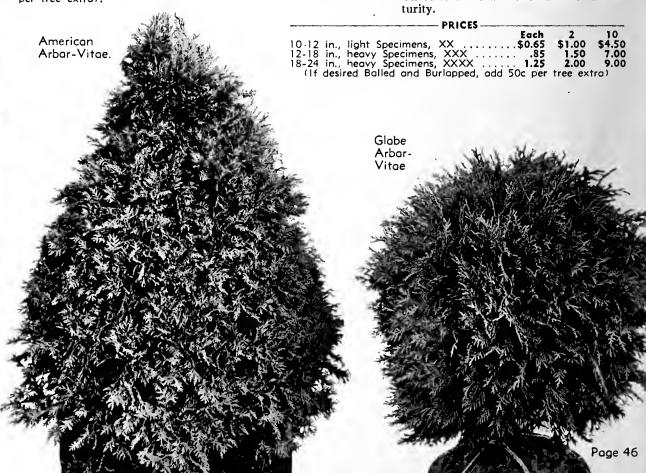
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## Globosa Arbor-Vitae

(Thuya occidentalis globosa)

A charming little globe for the foreground

An old-time favorite-popular in foundation groups where its lovely round form contrasts delightfully with the more spreading, informal habits of other types. This compact ball requires no shearing; foliage thick and deep green. Three to three and one-half feet at ma-





# The DWARF JUNIPERS - for edging Japanese Juniper

Japanese

Juniper.

(Juniperus chinensis procumbens)

A grand creeper the landscape

Dense, sharp-pointed, blue-green foliage of an intricate pattern, seldom raising more than 8 or 12 inches from the ground, but spreading out in a delightful fashion, sometimes 6 or 8 feet in old age, yet a little pruning each year will keep it permanently small and compact. For the low border, terrace or for overhanging effect in the rockery, this beautiful Juniper is supremely useful and interesting. Hardy either in full sunlight or partial shade.

PRICES.

 18x24 in. Specimens, XXX
 \$2.00
 \$3.60
 \$16

 2x3 ft. Specimens, XXXX
 2.50
 4.50
 20

 (If desired Balled and Burlapped, add 50c per tree extra)

(Juniperus squamata Meyeri)

Here at the nursery we have never taken quite the interest in a new evergreen that we have in the Meyer Juniper. It has a delightful irregularity of outline that draws your attention immediately -some of them fanlike, others more upright. The thick, handsome foliage, pointed and prickly, has a rich, shining blue color, with often a tinge of purple in the sunlight or rays of green and silver -a beautiful study in color harmony. Close to the pool or in the rockery, the unusual character of the Meyer Juniper is set off to perfection; in borders or foundation groups it gives superb contrast. Two to four feet at maturity.

Andorra Juniper.

Unique in color and form

The most fascinating of all evergreens

Special MEYER 15-20 in. Matched Pair,

(Juniperus communis depressa plumosa)

A new low creeper of handsome color and form

A splendid, hardy, dwarf evergreen, especially distinctive for its changing colors. The low, spreading branches, seldom over 18 inches from the ground, are covered with artistic. finely cut foliage which through the spring and summer is a bright silvery green, but turning at the first touch of frost to a handsome mauvepink. In the foreground of Silver Cedars or

darker evergreen, its exquisite winter coloring is most pro-nounced. Ideal for terraces and rockeries, too.

PRICES

2×2½ ft. Specimens, XXXX. Each, \$2.50; 2, \$4.50; 10, \$20.00.
2½3 ft. Specimens, XXXX. Each, \$3.00; 2, \$5.40; 10, \$25.00.

(If desired Balled and Burlapped, add 50c per tree extra).

Special **ANDORRA** 2 JUNIPER 21/2x3 ft. Choice Matched Pair,

# taller plantings—trailing.feathery colorful "A Princely Fellow"

Special KOSTER'S JUNIPER 3x4 ft. Select,

(Juniperus virginiana Kosteri)

Here you will find the same of far handsome, arching characteristic of the Pfitzer's Juniper, these more spreading, graceful stems often 2 to 3 feet in length, and covered with rich foliage of bluish green. A very hardy, fine sort, ideal for the rockery, edging the pool or bordering the foundation plant-

PRICES

 2x3 ft. Specimens, XXXX
 \$1.85
 \$3.00
 \$3x4 ft Specimens, XXXX
 2.25
 4.00

 (If desired Balled and Burlapped, add 50c per tree extra)

Worthy planting Koster's Juniper



olden-Kod

(Juniperus communis depressa aurea)

Delicate, feathery foliage of golden yellow covers this decidedly beautiful evergreenlooking for all the world like plumes of sunny Golden Rod. The most outstanding golden leaved evergreen, giving rich contrast in foundation groups in the rock garden, or outdoor living room. Three to three and one-half feet at maturity. (Illustrated in full color on page

(If desired Balled and Burlapped, add 50c per

(Juniperus Sargenti)

Thick, matlike growth of deep green with a blue cast, forming a handsome specimen sometimes 6 or 8 feet across and only a few inches high, yet can easily be kept smaller by a little annual pruning. Planted 2 or 3 feet apart along a sunny terrace or bordering larger evergreens. the resultant picture will be very distinctive. You will like it immensely in the rock garden.

PRICES

Each 2 10

18x24 in. Specimens, XXX. \$2.00 \$3.50 \$15.50
(If desired Balled and Burlapped, add 50c per tree extra).

Handsome, light green, lacy foliage, resembling the delicacy of the Tamarisk shrub-a low, creeping Juniper, very compact-forming a dense mat of misty green. A very lovely edging variety, and a favorité in rock gardens

(Juniperus sabina tamariscifolia)

18x24 in. Spec., XXX ...\$1.60 2x2½ ft. Spec., XXXX ...2.00 (If desired Balled and Burlapped, add 50c per

## Jobe Juniper

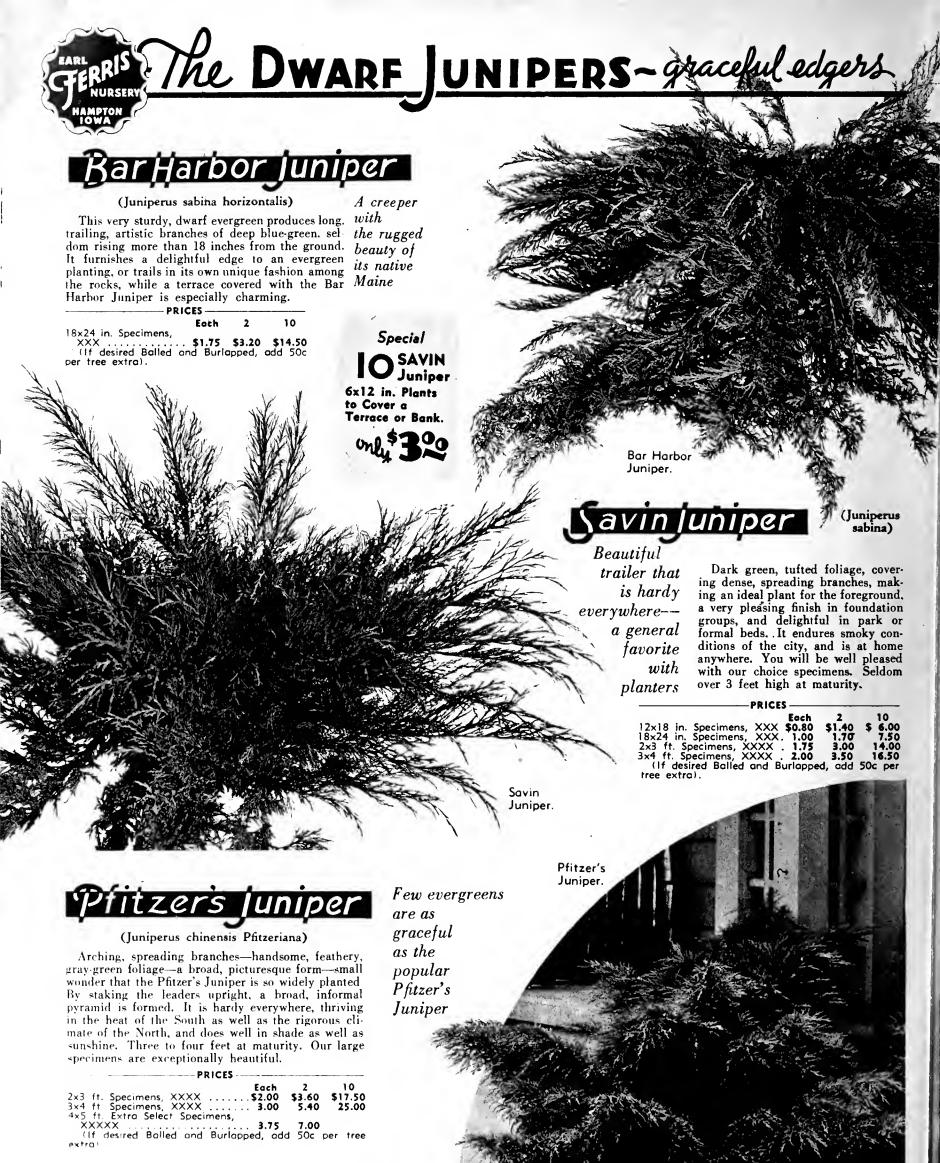
(Juniperus chinensis globosa)

Not so perfectly round as the Globosa Arbor-Vitae, but a much hardier tree. and in time will largely supplant it. Handsome, light green, bristly foliage thickly covers the rounded head; a little trimming each year makes it even more compact, and it will retain an even ball shape. Three to three and one-half feet at maturity. A fine, new dwarf ever-green that we recommend highly for foundation planting or the low border.

- PRICES 12x16 in. Specimens, XXX . . . . . . \$2.00 18x24 in. Specimens, \$3.50 \$16.50 (X . . . . . . . . 2.50 4.50 20.00 desired Balled and Burlapped, add 50c per tree extra)



Juniper.





# The ERECT Junipers-tapering

Ferris Grafted

(Juniperus virginiana columnaris)

A new, splendid form of the Red Cedar that we have had grafted for particular landscape work. Naturally it forms a very narrow, symmetrical column of rich dark green, and is especially handsome in entrance plantings or formal settings. Ten to fifteen feet at niaturity.

PRICES

3-4 ft. Specimens, XXXX \$2.75 \$5.00 \$22.00 5-6 ft. Select Spec., XXXXX 4.00 7.00 33.50 (If desired Balled and Burlapped, add 50c per \$5.00 \$22.00 7.00 33.50

## Klueluniper

(Juniperus virginiana glauca)

richblue

One of the popular, upright Junipers, having the graceful manner of the Red Cedar, and the added charm of bluetipped foliage. A little pruncolor ing induces a compact, formal calls shape, while some planters prefer the open growth and more irregular outline of the admiration untrimmed tree. Fifteen to 20 feet at maturity,

Each 2 10 2½-3 ft. Specimens, XXXX \$2.00 \$3.60 \$17.50 3-4 ft. Specimens, XXXX . 3.00 5.40 25.00 (If desired Balled and Burlapped, add 50c per

(Juniperus communis suecica)

Very slim, formal columns of light gray-green. seldom over 7 to 8 feet high; thick, prickly foli-age. Hardier than the Irish Juniper, which it resembles closely. An old favorite for formal settings.

Beautiful spire type. not hardy in the North

PRICES -

2-2½ ft. Specimens, XXX .\$2.50 \$4.00 \$18.00 (If desired Balled and Burlapped, add 50c per tree extra).

## Ferris' Klue (edar

(Juniperus virginiana Ferris' Blue)

Silveredfoliage for fine contrast effects Recom-

mendedfor extra hardiness

We are proud to be able to offer this striking new type to our customers. Like the Red Cedar, it develops a handsome conical form, with thick, feathery foliage of silver-gray. Especially effective when com-bined with other evergreens of darker tone. You will find it an ideal landscape type, so attractive in foundation plantings, entrance groups, or the formal garden setting. Twenty to twenty-five feet at maturity, but can easily be kept primed back to smaller proportions.

PRICES

3-4 ft. Specimens, XXXX \$2.50 \$4.40 \$20.00 \$4-5 ft. Specimens, XXXX 3.25 5.90 27.50 (If desired Balled and Burlapped, add 50c per tree extra).

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XX means twice transplanted and twice roat-pruned.

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and three times root-pruned.

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and four times root-pruned.

Page 52 Special .5 ft., Handsome latched Pair,



# slim-spire-like beauties-feathery. graceful

Chinese

Column Juniper

## Silver (edar

(Juniperus scopulorum)

Slendercolumnsof silver enrichthe landscape

Extreme hardiness combines with lovely lines and superb coloring to make this one of the most valuable of the ornamental evergreens. Narrow, compact, symmetrical pyramids of light silver that are so decorative at the entrance, rounding out the corners of the foundation groups, or lending gracious hospitality to the outdoor living room. A lit-

tle clipping each year will induce a more for mal character. Twelve to fifteen feet at maturity when untrimmed.

2½-3 ft. Specimens, XXX. \$2.00 3-4 ft. Specimens, XXX. 3.00 \$3.60 5.40 (If desired Balled and Burlapped, add 50c per

(Juniperus virginiana pyramidaformia)

You will find the changeable colors of this beautiful new evergreen a very delightful feature-lovely gray-green during the summer, turning in the fall and winter to a decided plum color. It develops a slim, refined cone, and adds picturesque tones to either a formal or informal planting. Hardy. Ten to twelve feet at maturity.

2-3 ft. Specimens, XXXX \$2.50 3-4 ft. Specimens, XXXX 3.00

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(Juniperus chinensis pyramidalis) (Green Type), Each 3-4 ft. Spec. XXXX ... \$2.75 4-5 ft. Spec. XXXX ... 3.00 5-6 ft. Spec. XXXX ... 4.00 \$5.00 4-5 ft. Spec. XXXX ... 3.00 5.50 25.00 5-6 ft. Spec. XXXXX ... 4.00 7.30 35.00 (Blue Type),
4-5 ft. Select Spec. XXXX 4.50 8.00 38.00 5-6 ft. Select Spec. XXXX 5.50 10.00 47.50 7-8 ft. Extra Heavy, Select Specimens XXXXX ... 10.00 18.00 (1f desired Balled and Burlapped, add 50c per trae extra)

Distinctly beautiful, and also of supreme hardiness, thriving everywhere—North or South—except in a too wet or too shady place. Grows to 15 or 20 feet high, becoming more compact and shapely with age. Tall, slim columns of deep green shading to blue give a touch of elegance at the entrance, in the foundation border, or as formal sentinels in the gar-den Easily established and grow rapidly, but can be kept trimmed to any height.

Gerris'

(Juniperus scopulorum Ferrisi)

silver are the

choicest

landscape

material

The grafts for this superior type were selected from trees of the very bluest blue and of the most perfect column form. The silver foliage, fine and feathery, is magnificent both in texture and color, the blue sheen especially marked during summer and fall. Rapid, compact grower, and hardy everywhere. For formal or informal planting, our Grafted Silver Cedar is outstanding. Twelve to fifteen feet at maturity when untrimmed.

PRICES -

3-3½ ft. Specimens, XXXX I \$3.50; 2, \$6.40; 10, \$30.00. 3½-4 ft. Specimens, XXXX I \$4.50; 2, \$8.00; 10, \$38.50.

(If desired Balled and Burlapped add 50c per tree extra).

**B&B** means **Balled** and Burlapped.

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Ferris' Grafted Silver

Special Grafted SILVER

Special SILVER 3-4 ft. Select, Matched Pair, Regal specimens of bright shining

livingcolumnsfor the entrance garden

Exquisite

Pyramid



Red Cedar.

# ERECT JUNIPERS-picturesque beauty Red (edar Schott's Red (edar

(Juniperus virginiana)

PRICES OF RED CEDAR

A grand landscape evergreen; its broad, tapering pyramid thickly covered with feathery foliage of dark green sometimes silver tinted. with springtime bringing a bronze tint. Close pruning produces a formal cone that is so delightful in the garden or at the entrance; the softer, more graceful lines of the untrimmed trees are more desirable in groups or background screens.

Hardy all over the United States. Twenty five to thirty feet at maturity, but can easily be kept trimmed to any desired shape or size.

(Juniperus virginiana Cannarti)

Its richfoliage has individual charm

ft., Bushy Specimens, XXXX
ft., Bushy Specimens, XXXXX
ft., Select Sheared Specimens, XXXX
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(If desired Balied and Burlapped, add 50c per tree extra).

The compact, rich green. tufted foliage of the Cannart Cedar is indeed fascinating. harmonizing so well with the softer, lighter tones of other evergreens. It readily develops a fine pyramid from. 15 to 20 feet at maturity, but can be sheared to any size.

\$6.40

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Each 3-4 ft. Specimens, XXXX . \$3.00 \$5.50 \$25.00 4-5 ft. Specimens, XXXX . 4.00 7.40 35.00 (If desired Balled and Burlapped, add 50c per \$5.50 \$25.00 7.40 35.00 tree extra).

This dense growing, pyramidal Juniper is a favorite with landscape experts, its delightful, yellowish green color contrasting harmoniously with the deeper, purer shades of other evergreens. Shearing induces a more formal type that is in demand for entrances and gardens. Fifteen to twenty feet at maturity if untrimmed.

Selectpyramid used for fine landscape effects

ft. Specimens, XXX . \$2.00 \$3.50 \$1 ft. Specimens, XXXX . 2.75 5.00 2 If desired Balled and Burlapped, add 50c

(Juniperus excelsa stricta)

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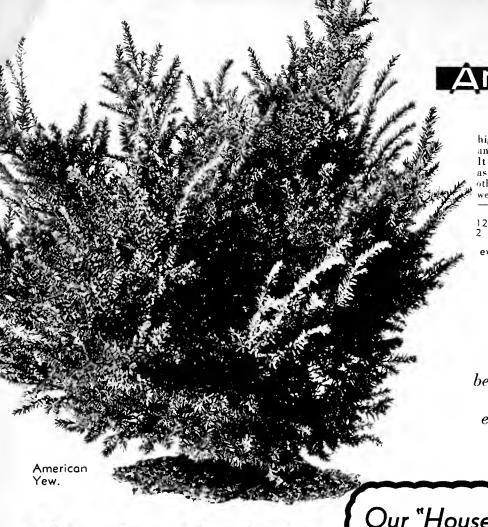
If you are looking for a rather low growing evergreen of formal design-something different than





THE modern landscape demands these superb Junipers. Mother Nature has fashioned elaborate patterns in the foliage, their colors are the very richest blends, while their refined habits of growth make them ideal landscape subjects. Don't overlook, too, that the Junipers are supremely hardy and droughtresisting. For the entrance, foundation group, or for the more formal garden, this Ferris Collection is the last word in elegance.





American Yew

(Taxus canadensis)

This hardy evergreen seldom grows over 2 or 3 feet high, is densely covered with deep green, glossy foliage, and in the fall months is loaded with scarlet berries. It is a handsome addition to any rock garden, splendid as a low hedge, while it combines so charmingly with other types in the foundation and garden groups. Thrives well in the shade.

PRICES-

Each 2 10
12-18 in. Specimens, XXX . . . \$1.60 \$2.90 \$12.50
2 ft. Heavy Specimens, XXXX . 2.00 3.50 16.50
(If desired Balled and Burlapped, add 50c per tree extra).

Fine, soft lustrous foliage

A dwarf tree of exquisite workmanship

## apanese Yew

richfull beauty inevery

line

Soft

(Taxus cuspidata)

A more upright type than the American, usually developing a leader. It grows slowly, with a delightful irregularity of outline, its many branches covered with the beautiful, waxen, green foliage characteristic of all Yews. The slow, compact growth and rich foliage makes it ideal for foundation groups and rockeries, as well as formal gardens, where limited size is so often essential. Good to use on the north side or other shady locations, though it thrives equally well in the sun. Three to four feet at maturity.

PRICES

## (anadian Hemiock

(Tsuga canadensis)

The Hemlock can be depend-

ed upon to give the softening

touch to any planting. Hand-

some, dark green foliage, soft and fernlike, densely covers the

tree as it develops a broad, symmetrical cone. Because it shears

easily, inducing a heavier, bush-

ier growth, it is a splendid tree for foundation groups, while a specimen left on the lawn to

develop naturally will assume

considerable height and mag-

Young or old theHemlockis always a picture of

gracefulness

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nificence. Plant in a somewhat sheltered place. in moist, deep sandy loam; it prefers partial shade to full sunlight. Sixty to seventy feet at maturity if untrimmed. PRICES

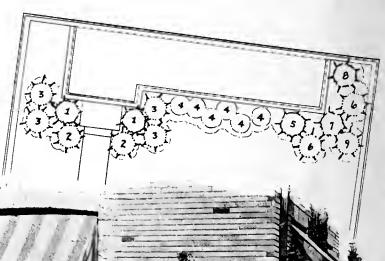
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Large, bushy plants have a lavish covering of big, double, fragrant blossoms in June and July, with occasional blooms later on, the F. J. Grootendorst being especially everblooming. Abundant wrinkled, waxen foliage gives the plant a fine appearance at all times; bright seed pods following the blooms add still further to its beauty. Will do well in sun or partial shade. Exeellent for hedges or borders, or to combine with flowering shrubs; an ideal Rose for cemetery planting. 4-8 feet at maturity.

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## How to Care for Roses

All Roses flourish best when planted in good, rich, well drained soil in a sunny location. Set them deeply and firmly, giving the tops a severe pruning. Then, each succeeding spring, the Hybrid Perpetuals and Hybrid Teas should be trimmed back quite heavily to encourage more blooms. Rugosa Roses will require little future trimming except to keep them to the size desired. Climbing Roses, when once established, should have no trimming whatever in early spring except to prune out any dead wood. Any extensive trimming to Climbers should be done immediately following the blooming period.

The Climbing and Rambler Roses are all very hardy but require winter protection in places of zero temperatures. Lay

The Climbing and Rambler Roses are all very hardy but require winter protection in places of zero temperatures. Lay down the canes in late fall and cover with earth, evergreen boughs, or leaves, or wrap in burlap. The Hybrid Perpetuals and Hybrid Teas should have winter protection, especially in the North. Before the ground freezes in the fall, mound the earth 8 to 12 inches up around the plant, then cover the exposed tops of the Roses with leaves, straw or other mulching. You will have no trouble in wintering even the more tender varieties if treated in this manner.

Rose Manual, 15c

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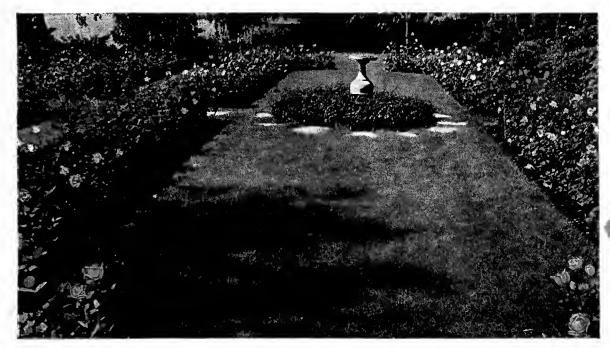
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## A Dozen "OLD-FAVORITE" Roses

Extra select group of Ferris' Famous Everblooming Hybrid-Tea Roses. These varieties always have, and always will be among the most popular Roses—so hardy and dependable—always in bloom—glorious in color, and rich in fragrance.

BETTY UPRICHARD.
Lovely salmon-pink inside, outside brilliant copper. A beauty that is constantly in bloom.

long pointed buds of deep pink open into large, full, fragrant blooms of silvery pink. Very free blooming.

columbia. The famous Rose of Portland. Beautifully formed buds of glistening rose-pink, intensely fragrant. One of the finest bedding and cutting Roses.

## OLD FAVORITES Rose Collection

Twelve Hybrid Tea Everblaaming Rases. Strong, 2-year, fieldgrown plants.

**40c** each 3 for \$1.00 10 for \$2.50

GRUSS AN TEP-LITZ. Noted for its hardiness and its great mass of fiery crimson blooms the season through.

JONKHEER J. L. MOCK. Superb two-toned pink shading to silvery white on the inK. A. VICTORIA. Queen of the white Roses; long pointed buds open into large, full, perfectly formed flowers. Strong, heavy bloomer.

**LADY ASHTOWN.** An excellent garden Rose; large, full, well-formed blooms of warm carminepink, shading to golden yellow at base of petals. Profuse bloomer.

**LADY HILLINGDON.** Exquisite. long pointed buds of deep golden yellow, opening up full and double.

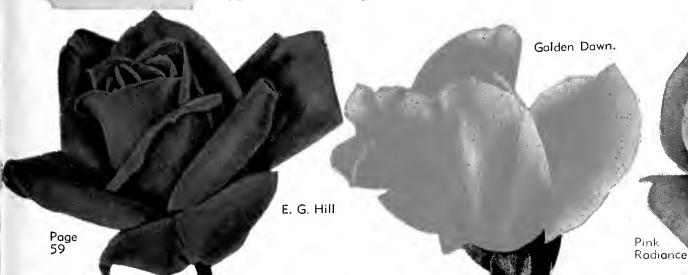
MRS. CHAS. BELL. The shell-pink Radiance with a delightful salmon background. Hardy, steady bloomer; should be in every garden.

PINK RADIANCE. Most popular Rose in all America. Very large, beautiful blooms of silvery pink shading to salmon, are borne on tall, strong stems, and in great abundance. Very fragrant.

RED RADIANCE. There is no finer Rose for the garden. Lovely cerise-red blooms, large and globular, with strong stems, ideal for cutting. Heavy bloomer throughout the season.

**SUNBURST.** Handsome, large flowers of sulphuryellow, at times deepening to golden orange.







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Roses

Richest

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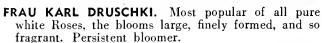
Our Selected List

Hybrid Perpetual Roses

Fill the background of your Rose garden or border with these staunch beauties—the "June Roses" that produce more blooms at one time than any other type. Their colors are magnificent, their fragrance fills the air, and many of them have a second crop of huge blossoms in late summer and fall. We strongly urge greater use of these grand Roses. Plant them 2 or 2½ feet apart.

GENERAL JACQUEMINOT. A favorite with millions. Brilliant, scarlet-crimson blossoms of fine fragrance cover the plant early in the season and last a long time.

HUGONIS (The Golden Rose of China). Not a true Hybrid Perpetual, but a hardy, bush Rose for the garden of similar type. Graceful, arching branches in May and June are a mass of beautiful, canary-yellow flowers; fernlike foliage.



Most brilliant incolor.



Frau Karl Druschki.

MARSHALL P. WILDER. Large, full blooms of rich, glowing red; very free flowering.

PAUL NEYRON. The largest pink Rose in cultivation, and one of the best. Color a clear pink shading to rose; very fragrant.

PERSIAN YELLOW. The lovely, old-fashioned, yellow garden Rose that is like a big bouquet in June when enmassed in the small, fragrant, double, golden yellow

PRINCE CAMILLE DE ROHAN. Deep blood-red blooms of handsome form.

ULRICH BRUNNER. Abundant blooms of bright cherryred, large, handsome form, and deliciously fragrant.

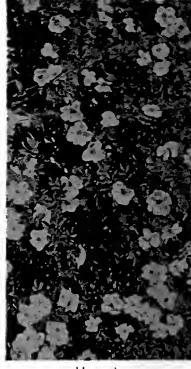
## Hybrid Perpetual Roses

All eight varieties given above select 2-year plants

40c each

3 for \$1.00 10 for 2.50

If Roses are desired by parcel post, add 5c each, 10c for 3, or 25c for 10 plants.



Camille de Rohan.

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ur"JUNE ROSE-GLOW" Collection

I Frau Karl Druschki

I General Jacqueminot

I Ulrich Brunner

I Paul Neyron

I Marshall P. Wilder

I Prince Camille de Rohan

These Six Glorious Hybrid Perpetual Roses—all hardy, field-grown, two-yearold plants; a magnificent border or background assortment.

Ferris' Special Sale

## Che Choicest Hardy CLIMBING ROSES





Excelsa.

## Our Extra-Hardy RAMBLER ROSES

The Most Bloom for Your Money-Hardy Everywhere-Nothing Finer for Fences, Trellises, or Walls.

AMERICAN PILLAR. Large brilliant flowers of carmine-pink with white center and rich yellow stamens. Very hand-some. 2-yr. plants, 25c each; 5 for \$1.10; 10 for \$1.90.

CRIMSON RAMBLER. Long-time favorite, covered in June

CRIMSON RAMBLER. Long-time favorite, covered in June with Iarge elusters of bright erimson, miniature Roses. Select, 2-yr. plants, 25c each; 5 for \$1.10; 10 for \$1.90. DOROTHY PERKINS. Ideal trellis Rose; rapid, sturdy grower, profusely covered with clusters of exquisite, shell-pink blooms of finest fragrance. Select, 2-yr. plants, 25c each; 5 for \$1.10; 10 for \$1.90. EXCELSA (Red Dorothy Perkins). Immense clusters of rich, blood-red Roses. Very beautiful and dependable Climber. Select, 2-yr. plants, 25c each; 5 for \$1.10; 10 for \$1.90. TAUSENDSCHOEN (Thousand Beouties). Glorious clusters of changeable colors. from delicate soft pink to deepest of changeable colors, from delicate soft pink to deepest carmine. Outstanding in beauty and hardiness.

Select, 2-yr. plants, 25c each; 5 for \$1.10; 10

"PERFECTION"

Pillar Rose Collection Paul's Scorlet Climber Gardenio Dr. W. Van Fleet

Climbing American Beauty

THESE SIX BEAUTIFUL

SPECIAL \$1.55
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Silver Moon Rose of Foirfield

CLIMBING ROSESlect, two-yeor-old plonts.
(Regular catalog price,

for \$1.90.

WHITE RAMBLER. Very fine cluster Rose, with strong climbing habit, in June a mass of snow-white flowers. Select, 2-yr. plants, 25c each; white flowers. Select, 2-yr 5 for \$1.10; 10 for \$1.90.

If Roses ore desired by parcel post, odd 5c each, 10c for 3, or 25c for 10 plants.

## Ferris' ROSE ARBOR Collection

- Tausendschoen
- Crimson Rambler White Rambler Dorothy Perkins Americon Pillar Excelsa

THESE 6 FAVORITE THESE 6 FAVORITE RAMBLERS—strong, thrifty, 2-yr.-old plants—just the thing to cov-er your arbor or fence. (Regular catalog price, \$1.70).

OUR SPECIAL \$ 1.31
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## Supreme Pillar and Climbing Roses

Hardy---Dependable---Beautiful.

PAUL'S SCARLET CLIMBER. The "Reddest Rose That Grows," and the most popular of all Climbing Roses. The large, semi-double blooms hold their vivid scarlet color until the petals fall. Very fine for trellises and arches, or ean be kept nipped back to bush form.

Select, 2-yr. plonts, 35c each; 3 for 90c;

10 for \$2.25.

DR. W. VAN FLEET. Long, pointed buds of clear flesh-pink, borne on individual stems, ideal for cutting; when blooms are open, they are enormous. Splendid Pillar Rose. Select, 2-yr. plants, 35c each; 3 for 90c; 10 for \$2.25.

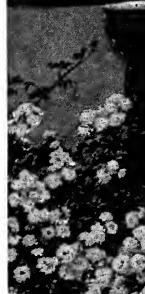
GARDENIA. Most popular Climbing Yellow Rose. Golden yellow buds merge into creamy white as they open; glossy, healthy foliage. Select, 2-yr. plants, 35c each; 3 for 90c; 10

HIAWATHA. Large, elustered blooms of bright crimson, with clear white eye, and a heavy fringe of golden stamens. Grand for trellises and arches. Select, 2-yr. plants, 35c each; 3 for 90c; 10 for \$2.25.

CLIMBING AMERICAN BEAUTY. Large, beautiful blooms of American Beauty color (deep carmine-pink), have rich fragrance and are excellent for cutting. Select, 2-yr. plants, 35c each; 3 for 90c; 10 for \$2.25.

SILVER MOON. Immense, pure white, semidouble flowers with brilliant centers of golden yellow stamens. Select, 2-yr. plonts, 35c each; 3 for 90c; 10 for \$2.25.

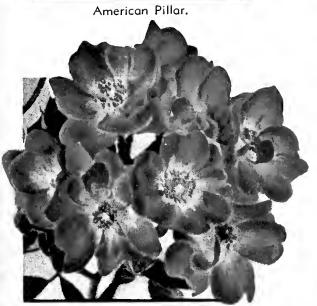
ROSE OF FAIRFIELD. Called the "Everblooming Crimson Rambler;" large elusters of rich red, double Roses in June are followed by occasional blooms on the new growth throughout the summer. Select, 2-yr. plonts, 35c each;



Dorothy Perkins (Above).



Paul's Scarlet (Below).



Galden Salmon Baby Rambler. (See Page 57)



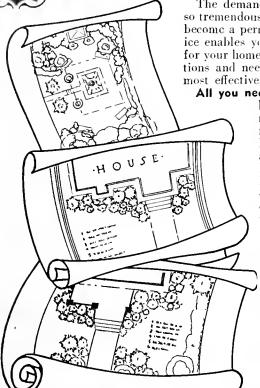
Climbing American Beauty.







# FREE Landscape Plans for your home



The demand for Ferris' Planting Plans has increased so tremendously that our Landscape Department has now become a permanent part of our organization. This service enables you to obtain a complete landscape drawing for your home grounds that will exactly fit your specifica-

tions and needs-a golden opportunity to beautify your home in the most effective, harmonious manner.

All you need to do is to write us for our Sketch Blank. On this blank arc full and simple directions so that anyone can make us a rough drawing of their home grounds. Upon returning this drawing and a remittance of \$2.00, we will have our landscape experts make a landscape drawing and planting chart that will give you an accurate and balanced plan to follow in planting your home grounds. Be sure to send for the Sketch Blank, for our landscape experts must have your rough sketch made on this, in order to get all dimensions, directions, and other descriptive details that are necessary.

Then, if you purchase the planting material from us and the order amounts to \$25.00 or more, the \$2.00 you have already paid for the plan is applied on the order as a due bill, thus giving you this landscape service absolutely free. The \$2.00 remittance required when we make the drawing is merely to keep away idle curiosity seekers. The Landscape Department maintains the right to charge a higher rate where lots of over 60x200 feet are planned, or to reject plans that are extremely complicated where we feel that it requires the services of a landscape architect right on the grounds.

These plans are made under the direct supervision of our landscape expert; they are clear and easy to follow, and we have had the finest sort of compliments on them in the past. Our customers have been more than pleased with the way Ferris landscaping has transformed their properties.

## Prepared by Our Landscape Architects

## EXCEPTION ON PLANTING Note PLANS AFTER MARCH 15

Our shipping season is in full sway by April 1st, and because of the increased amount of work at that period it is necessary to enlarge our staff considerably, and expenses mount rapidly. The shipping season for nursery stock is, of necessity, a limited one. For this reason we work nearly twenty-four hours a day to get these plans off promptly, and shipments out in good shape as well as at the best planting time. After March 15th the charge for a landscape plan will be \$5.00, and this amount may be applied on an order of \$50.00 or more as a due bill. Therefore, it is to your advantage to send in your application for a landscape plan as early as possible, so that we can give it our best attention.

# BARGAINS

## HARDY ORNAMENTALS

No. 1.—15 Bridal Wreath, 1-year fieldgrown, \$1.00.

No. 2.—8 Spirea Anthony Waterer, 1-yr. \$1.00.

No. 3.—7 Spirea Billiardi Rasea, 2-year, \$1.00.

No. 4.—6 Althea, Rose af Sharon, 1-ft. average, assorted, \$1.00.

No. 5.-6 Beautiful Assarted Shrubs, 1ft. average, \$1.00. (1 each: Forsythia, Red Tartarian Honeysuckle, Spirea Van Houttei, Spirea Anthony Waterer, Mock Orange, and Weigela Rosea).

No. 6.-50 Chinese Elm Seedlings, 1-year, \$1.00.

### **ROSES**

No. 7.-8 Favarite Rambler Roses, 1-yr., field-grawn, \$1.00. (2 Crimson Rambler, 2 Dorothy Perkins, 1 Tausendschoen, 1 Excelsa, 1 White Rambler, 1 Gardenia).

No. 8.-4 Lovely June Roses, 2-year, mailing size, \$1.00. (1 each: Paul Neyron, Frau Karl Druschki, Marshall P. Wilder, and Prince Camille de Rolian).

No. 9.-4 Handsome Everblooming Roses, 2-year, mailing size, \$1.00. (1 cach: Red, White. Pink, and Flame Yellow).

No. 10.—6 Rugosa Roses, hardy everywhere, 1-year, field-grown, \$1.00. (2 cach: Red, White, and Pink).

### **EVERGREENS**

No.11.-15 Douglas Fir seedlings, 4-8 in., \$1.00.

No. 12.—18 Norway Spruce seedlings, 8-12 in., \$1.00.

No. 13.—20 White Pine seedlings, 6-10 in., \$1.00.

No. 14.—7 White Spruce transplants, 1 ft. average, \$1.00.

No. 15.—5 Assorted Ornamental Evergreens, 8-12 in., transplanted, \$1.00. (1 each: Colorado Blue Spruce, Douglas Fir, Norway Spruce, White Spruce, and Scotch Pine).

No. 16.-4 Savin Juniper (Trailing), 6x10 in., transplanted, \$1.00.

### **BULBS AND PERENNIALS**

No. 17.-5 Choice Peonies, 2 red, 2 pink, 1 white, \$1.00. All large, double flowering.

No. 18.—4 Selected Peonies, popular varieties, \$1.00. (1 each: Chestine Gowdy, Delachei, Edulis Superba, Karl Rosenfield).

No. 19.-35 Beautiful Mixed Iris, unnamed, \$1.00.

No. 20.—10 Fine Mixed Phlox, unnamed, \$1.00.

No. 21.—25 Glorious Perennials, sturdy, field-grown; most have already bloomed, \$1.00. (5 cach: Mixed Delphiniumsa, Alaska Daisy, Anthemis, Yucca, and Hibiscus).

No. 22.—28 Favorite Perennials, select, blooming-size, \$1.00. (4 each: Aquilegia, Chinese Lantern, Delphiniums, Dianthus, Gaillardia, Platycodon and Shasta Daisy).

Na. 23.—18 Rock Garden Perennials,\$1.00. (3 each: Viola, Dwarf Sedum, Heliantheniu mum, Linum Perenne, Gypsophila, Anthemis).

No. 24,-50 Gladiolus bulbs, Special Rainbow Mixture, large, blooming size, \$1.00.







## Parcel Post Prepaid

SMALL FRUIT

No. 25. 12 Concord Grapes, No. 1 plants, \$1.00.

No. 26. 25 Red Raspberries, choice of Latham or New Chief, 2-yr., \$1.00. No. 27. 25 Cumber-land Black Rasp-

berries, 1-year select, \$1.00.



## Ferris' "ALPINE-BEAUTY"

Rock Garden Collection A Perfect Assembly of Perennials and Evergreens for the Rock Garden.

| Ă   | 4   | Gypsophila                 | .40        |          | Tatal                      | 10 07 |
|-----|-----|----------------------------|------------|----------|----------------------------|-------|
| G   | 8   | Oriental Poppies           | .60<br>.96 | υ        | 5 Campanula carpatica      | .75   |
| Ē   | 2   | Oriental Pennies           |            |          |                            |       |
| F   | 5   | Double Aquilegia           | .60        | Ť        | 6 Dwarf Sedum, Sexangulare |       |
|     |     | Coccineum                  | .48        | S        | 6 Achillea, The Pearl      | .72   |
| ט   | 8   | Dwarf Sedum, Spurium       |            | R        | 8 Lychnis                  |       |
| č   | Š   | Achillea Filipendula       | .75        | Q        | 5 Saponaria                | .60   |
| č   | -   | Achilles Filinand In       | .30        | - 1      |                            |       |
| В   | 5   | Veronica                   | -60        | P        | 8 Viola, Mixed             | .72   |
| Α   | 4   | Stokesia                   | .48        | 0        | 8 Dianthus                 | .48   |
|     |     | 18×24 in                   | 2.00       | Ν        | 5 Purple Coneflower        | .60   |
| (3) | 1   | Japanese Juniper Spec.,    |            | M        | 5 Platycodon               |       |
| (2) | ,   | $2-2\frac{1}{2}$ ft        | 2.50       | <u> </u> | 8 Alyssum Saxatile         |       |
| `-' | •   | 2 21/4 ft                  | 2 50       |          |                            |       |
| (2) | 1   | Spiny Greek Juniper Spec., |            | K        | 5 Sedum spectabile         |       |
|     |     | in. heavy                  | 51.25      | J        | 6 Linum perenne            | .72   |
| (1) | - 1 | Dwarf Mugho Pine, 12x18    |            | 1        | 8 Phlox Subulata           | .72   |

OUR SPECIAL LANDSCAPE RATE \$16.00



# Our "COLOR-HARMONY" Landscape Group

| (2)<br>(3)<br>(4)<br>(5)<br>(6) | 1 Schwedler's Maple, 6-7 ft.       \$1.75         2 Colorado Blue Spruce Shiners Spec., 2-2½ ft., B&B       9.00         3 Savin Juniper Spec., 18x24 in.       2.55         1 Colorado (Blue) Spruce Spec., 2-3 ft.       2.00         1 Douglas Fir Spec., 2½-3 ft.       1.00         1 White Spruce Spec., 2-3 ft.       .65         1 Dwarf Mugho Pine Spec., 12x18 in.       1.25 | 7-8 ft. \$2.00<br>3-4 ft., B&B 16.50<br>2×3 ft., B&B 6.00<br>3-4 ft., B&B 3.00<br>3-4 ft., B&B 2.00<br>3-4 ft., B&B 1.25<br>18×22 in., B&B 2.25 |
|---------------------------------|---|---|
|                                 | Totals  | \$33.00   |

FERRIS' BARGAIN \$16.00

\$28.50

Ferris Specimens that display rich color effects, handsome foliage, splendid forms—favorites for so many spots on the home landscape.

A glorious combinationof Ferris' Specialties.

Ideal for the large entrance, corners of the home grounds, or surrounding the outdoor living room.





Pink Cushion

Chrysanthemum

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## **BRILLIANT FALL ASTERS**

"And Asters by the brookside, make Asters in the brook." Do not forego the charm of these lovely perennial Asters in your fall garden—tall growing—a mass of colorful blooms when most other flowers are faded and gone. Hardy everywhere. Our Choice, Blooming Size Plants, Mixed Assortment, 4 for \$1.00; 8 for \$1.85, Postpaid. (For prices on named varieties, see page 27).

## PINK CUSHION 'MUM

"A Mountain of Bloom"—and such exquisite, pink-tinted blooms—hundreds of them covering the plant from August on, until frosts stop them in late fall. This grand, hardy perennial should be in every home planting. Our Select, Blooming Size Plants, 4 for \$1.28; 8 for \$2.44, Postpaid.

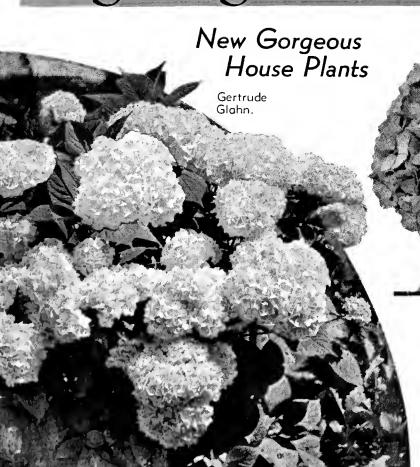
## KRIMSON KING CARNATION

Large, glowing, highly colored blooms—just the sort of beauties you would find in a florist's shop. These hardy, perpetual-blooming perennials you will surely want at your home. Ferris' Select, Blooming Size Plants, 4 for \$1.18; 8 for \$2.22, Postpaid.





# Giant German Flowering Hydrangeas



Niedersacken.

Now you can have for yourself some of these elegant, giant-flowering, richly colored Hydrangeas that are the pride and joy of all flower lovers. We are proud to offer you these three new varieties the most beautiful of them all. As you pot your plants, use a little alum or aluminum sulphate, especially with the Niedersacken, to insure finest colors. During the summer plant outside in a shady place, then in the fall before any frosts, dig them up, topot, allow them to rest in a cool basement for 2 months, and the following winter you will have larger, finer plants and blooms than court. In the far South, they can be planted outside permanently.

GERTRUDE GLAHN Very large flowers, bright resceptible.

GERTRUDE GLAHN. Very large flowers, bright rose-pink, NIEDERSACKEN. Immense flowers of light azure-blue. PARSIFAL. Enormous, ruffled blooms of deep carmine.

Strong Blooming Size Plants 5 Oc each 3 for \$1.35; 10 for \$3.50. Postpaid

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